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## Crigler Pontiac Co., to Have Opening Saturday

The following officers and directors have been selected to carry on affairs of the Bank of Sikeston: President, Jos. L. Matthews; Vice-President, C. D. Matthews; 3rd, Cashier, Lacy E. Allard; Assistant Cashiers, A. A. Harrison and Meredith Lee; Directors: Jos. L. Matthews, C. D. Matthews, 3rd, Bettie Matthews, John C. Corrigan, Murray Phillips. This will continue to be one of the strongest financial institutions in the Central West and will carry on with renewed vigor and have the confidence of the public who have always looked on the Bank of Sikeston as solid as the Rock of Gibraltar.

Tuesday morning a gentleman called at the city hall and paid tax on his dog. The license tag was "30" which meant of all the dogs in Sikeston but 30 had a license tag, and the city with a dozen children being given the Pasteur treatment for dog bites. We are not blaming the dog for not having the tag, but we do blame the owners for not securing the license and keeping the dog confined, and the police for not killing every dog running at large. The city is having to pay for the Pasteur treatment, or let poor children die a horrible death from the rabies. Something should be done, and done now.

They still have country cured hams at Clinton, Ky., and Lon Nall and The Standard editor brought back some very fine looking ones Tuesday forenoon. We made the round trip by the Muscoville ferry at Columbus, Ky., and found the roads at both ends of the line in fine condition. Lon brought back with him a dozen Plymouth Rock fryers and a box of eggs in addition to the hams. We both have established quite a speaking acquaintance in and around Clinton, but as yet have established no credit acquaintance.

The week at the Gables in celebrating their new addition was most satisfactory in every way. More than one thousand guests honored the place with their presence, the music and floor show was pleasing and food served satisfactory. Mighty sorry that we were unable to keep up with the young folks.

After July 1 social security cards heretofore turned in to postmasters have been forwarded to headquarters free of postage. This paragraph is to tell you from and after July 1 postage will be required on these cards.

In these days and times the families of the deceased prefer to be placed where they may mingle their sorrow together while funeral orations are being delivered. At such a time with heavy hearts overflowing families feel better to be together in their grief to giving way before the public.

Cletis Bidewell, former teacher in the High School and as reporter on The Standard left Wednesday morning for Nevada, Mo., where he will attend a school of instruction before being assigned to the patrol force. Bidewell is a high type gentleman and will be missed by friends in the city. Edward Edelen, a former citizen of Charleston and a graduate of the School of Journalism at Columbia, now located at Shippenburg, Penn., will be on duty with The Standard Monday morning. We have met this young man before and his appearance is all that can be asked for. We trust the public will give a hearty welcome to our new assistant.

The Greene County Bar Association in session at Springfield June 26, went on record as endorsing Hon. Warren W. White as candidate for the Supreme Court in the 1938 election. This is rather early for candidates to throw their hats into the ring but the early hats in the ring can get more kicking.

Tuesday night about sixty employees of the Highway Division, and a few invited guests met at the Colonial Tavern at Cape Girardeau to give a partying banquet to Messrs. Trobridge and Barnett who have been transferred to other Divisions. The banquet hall was arranged with tables and decorated with flowers that were very beautiful to the eye. It was a steak feast with all the trimmings that go. Then there was ice tea, etc. to wash it down and ice cream for desert. Pat Noonan was toastmaster and talks made by Barnett and Trobridge and some lesser lights. It was good to have been there but not so good after.

Lifeguard with girl in his arms: "Sir, I have just resuscitated your daughter." Father: "Then, by gad, you'll marry her!"

Saturday, July 3, will be the opening day for the Crigler Pontiac Company located on Highway 61 and East Kathleen Avenue. Manager R. Poe Crigler in an interview early in the week stated that an ample line of new cars will be carried and a strictly up to date service department with the latest equipment will be maintained.

The new brick building to house the display and service department has just been completed and all new service equipment recommended by the Pontiac Motor Company has been installed. Mr. Crigler's associates in the service department are Elvis Tidwell, for many years a service and filling station man in Sikeston, and V. H. Bradley of St. Joe, Mo., a Pontiac service man since 1927. Mr. Bradley has attended all the Pontiac service schools in the past ten years.

In discussing the new Pontiac models Mr. Crigler said that

seven body types in the six-cylinder and seven body types in the eight-cylinder are now being manufactured. Eight cylinder models sell about one hundred dollars higher than the six. The Pontiac is advertised as the Economy car.

Included in the new equipment just installed is a 5-ton electric lift with an automatic safety device to prevent the jamming of doors, or other damage to the car. It is the only such lift in Sikeston. Complete new grease sets of the latest design have also been installed.

Shell gasoline, Goodrich tires, batteries and tubes are handled by the Tidwell Super-Service Station in connection with the Pontiac agency.

Prior to coming to Sikeston Mr. Crigler had been superintendent of the CCC camp at Poplar Bluff, but he had been associated with his brother as a Chevrolet dealer in Texas for several years previous to this time.

## Gus Kallio Defends His Title In Match Here

Gus Kallio is still middleweight, crab hold. Kallio took the de-grunt and groan champ of the world, having thrown Chief Little Wolf two out of three falls here Wednesday night. The Chief made a good bid for the title but Kallio was the strongest of the two and handled Little Wolf fairly easy, although he took a good share of punishment. Both wrestlers were clean and both were out of the ring several times. The crowd seemed to be for Little Wolf as a favorite here. Many believed this to be the best exhibition ever staged here. Little Wolf ranks as one of the best 30 in the game. The first fall was Kallio's in 14 minutes with a double toe hold. Little Wolf took the second fall in 15 minutes with a

crab hold. Kallio took the de-

ciding fall in 26 minutes with a arm lock and body pin. In the preliminary between Joe Dorsetti and Johnny Stote the first fall was copped by Stote in 10 minutes with a front croch, a body slam and much kicking. Dorsetti got the second fall in 3 minutes using a crab hold. Stotes took the final in 17 minutes with a body pin. This match was unusually fast and tough.

Between matches a former wrestler billed as The Great Mayon gave a strong man exhibition, the stunts consisting of lopping a rope around his neck with four men pulling on it, and inflating an inner tube with his mouth and lungs.

## Many Taking Rabies Shots

Almost forty dogs have been killed this week by Officer William Carson and he has issued warning that he will kill any and all dogs not bearing license tags. This will be done as a protection to human beings, other dogs and live stock and is necessary to stamp out the mad dog scares in this vicinity.

Four children were bitten by a mad dog Monday morning and a large number of dogs were infected by the same canine. The children are Bobby Foley, who was bitten on the ankle; the son

of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Witt, bitten on the arm and hip; Barbara Jean Hobbs, colored, one eye-brow and a deep gash town on the head, for which stitches were required, and a King boy. They are taking treatment for prevention of rabies, as are Jane Wilkerson, Willie McCain, and Charles Greer of Vanduser, who had played with dogs found to be infected.

Several adults are also taking the shots as a precaution because their pet cats and dogs had been bitten, although they are uncertain as to infection.

## Mayfield Softball Team to Play All Stars Here July 6

On Tuesday evening, July 6th, the Merit Clothing Company softball team will play the Sikeston All Stars on the local diamond at the High School. The teams will clash in the second game of the evening, and the first one will be played between the Sikeston Jr. Chamber of Commerce and the Charleston Jr. Chamber of Commerce. Ten cents admission will be charged at the gate.

H. E. Dudley will be requested by the committee, of which John T. Sikes is chairman, to manage the All Stars for their game.

Lineup for the All Stars team: catchers, B. Greer, F. Kuehnell; infielders, P. Malcolm, E. Williams, L. Page, V. Jones, M. Dace, F. Kindred, H. Dudley, J. Law; outfielders, M. Mahew, B. Crain, E. Hale, H. Stacey, W. Nelson; pitchers, J. Marshall and R. Johnson.

## \$13,956 Due New Madrid County Say State Auditors

Jefferson City, Mo., June 28.—W. A. Holloway, Chief Clerk in the State Auditor's Department, advised his office today he had filed an audit of New Madrid County at New Madrid, Mo., today, which allegedly showed \$13,956.40 was due the county, state and others from officials there.

Holloway, who filed the report with the New Madrid County Court, covering the years 1934 and 1935, said the audit showed

Sheriff Sam J. Harris owed \$4345.31; R. F. Baynes, tax attorney, \$3704.07; Mrs. Mollie Moylan, County Assessor, \$3009.57; B. E. Underwood, Circuit Clerk, \$1440.33; J. L. Blanchard, Superintendent of the County Farm \$1569.11. Other lesser amounts also were involved.

Most of the sums represented fees to which the Auditor held the officials were not entitled, Holloway said.

## Y. W. A. VISITS HOMES OF INVALID LADIES TUES.

Members of the Y. W. A. of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Helen Johnson and from there went to the homes of Mrs. G. F. Pierce and Mrs. Martha Fisher where a short program of scripture reading, prayer, and the singing of hymns was presented by the girls.

Later in the evening the young ladies attended a meeting of the Negro Ministers' Progressive Al-

liance held on the lawn at the home of the Rev. Turner, pastor of the Negro Baptist church, and at which the Rev. V. F. Oglesby, pastor of the First Baptist church was the principal speaker. Mr. Vaughn, an instructor in the colored school, gave a very interesting talk on "Progress," after which the group sang several of their spirituals for the young ladies. These meetings are held once a week, and Rev. Oglesby has consented to meet with them one night of every week and give them instructions on the Bible.

## Statement of State Auditors

Jefferson City, Mo.  
June 23, 1937

To the County Court  
of Scott County  
Benton, Missouri  
Gentlemen:

When making the report of the County Court of the examination as made of the various offices of Scott County, we found that in addition to the amount established as due from J. Sherwood Smith as County Clerk in excess fees retained in the amount of \$7,529.91, that there was an amount due from Mr. Smith as County Clerk to Scott County and several cities in Scott County for bus and truck fees under appropriation as made by the 57th and 58th General Assemblies of Missouri.

In the Laws of Missouri 1933, pages 52 to 62 inclusive, there is appropriated out of funds in the State Treasury in the collection of fees for the operation of buses and trucks over the public highways of Missouri; and in this Act there was specifically appropriated to Scott County and to the various cities in Scott County as follows:

Scott County	\$138.48
Benton	54
Blodgett	19.75
Chaffee	55.48
Illmo	14.93
Kelso	5.32
Morley	10.82
Oran	29.83
Sikeston	156.92
	\$432.07

In the Laws of Missouri, 1935, Sections 45 and 45a, pages 137 to 150 inclusive, make the allocation due for fees earned from these sources for the years 1933 and 1934, whereby they specifically appropriate to Scott County and various cities therein, as follows:

Scott County	\$100.85
Benton	5.06
Blodgett	12.16
Chaffee	55.48
Illmo	15.48
Kelso	5.32
Morley	12.34
Oran	30.75
Sikeston	312.95
	\$709.16

Section 45, page 62, Laws of Missouri 1933 and Section 45a, page 150 Laws of Missouri 1935, set out the method of making remittance of these appropriated

amounts after the proper requisition has been made upon the State Treasurer for the amounts due, wherein each section states as follows:

"And thereupon the State Auditor shall audit and the State Treasurer shall pay the proper amounts to the County Clerk of such counties in which the respective cities and road districts are located \* \* \* \* \* who shall thereupon pay and distribute the amounts to the respective designated distributees located in that County, described in this Act, taking receipts therefor, which receipts shall then be sent to the State Treasurer."

Our examination reveals that following the provisions of the aforementioned statutes, the State Treasurer did on November 3, 1933 issue draft No. 214091, payable to J. Sherwood Smith, County Clerk, in the amount of \$432.07; and that on August 27, 1935 the State Treasurer issued a State draft No. 217174, payable to the order of J. Sherwood Smith, County Clerk in the amount of \$277.09. Both of these afore-

described State Treasurer's drafts having been returned to the Office of the State Treasurer bearing the endorsement of J. Sherwood Smith, County Clerk, as disclosed by photostatic copy of each draft and the endorsement on each draft, which is attached to this report. We have been unable to locate any receipts from the County Treasurer or the various City Treasurers or other evidence indicating that these funds had been properly distributed as prescribed by law; and therefore in addition to the amount of \$7,529.91 there is due from J. Sherwood Smith a total of \$709.16, this amount being due to the following political subdivisions:

Scott County	\$239.33
Benton	5.60
Blodgett	31.31
Chaffee	55.48
Illmo	15.48
Kelso	5.32
Morley	12.34
Oran	30.75
Sikeston	312.95
	\$709.16

Respectfully submitted  
FORREST SMITH,  
State Auditor.  
By W. A. HOLLOWAY,  
Chief Clerk.

## GID DANIELS ENTERS MT. VERNON SANITORIUM

Gid Daniels went to Mt. Vernon, Mo., Wednesday morning where he entered the State Sanatorium for a period of medical treatment. He was accompanied by Mrs. William Schuette of Cape Girardeau and Charles Moose of Sikeston.

## ENTERTAINS FOR GUESTS

Miss Betty Belle Donnell has as house guests this week, Miss Carylls Cassey of St. Clair, Mo., Miss Jean Lucas of Webster Groves and Miss Martha Jane Sall also of Webster Groves. Miss Donnell entertained Thursday

evening with a buffet supper in compliment to her guests.

## ENTERTAINS FOR BRIDE

Mrs. Robt. Mow Jr. entertained at bridge Wednesday night at her apartment, in compliment to Mrs. Kendall Sikes who was married early in June.

## GIVES SURPRISE SHOWER

Miss Ruth Ward Powell gave a surprise shower Tuesday night for Mrs. Ted Kirby, in the latter's apartment on Front Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee Graham of Matthews are parents of a son born Tuesday, June 29th.

## Part of W. P. A. Personnel Transferred to Farmington

Dismantling of the Sikeston W. P. A. offices was started Wednesday and within a few days the fixtures, files and all equipment will be transferred to Farmington where the new fourth district of the W. P. A. will be located, with George Snider, former administrator at Flat River, will be the supervisor. This district will replace the old fifth, sixth and ninth districts with headquarters at Rolla, Flat River and Sikeston, and will be operated as the Southeast Missouri Area.

Part of the lesser administrative personnel of each district has been retained under the shakeup and a part has been dropped. From the Sikeston offices the following employees have been transferred to the Farmington office:

Administrative—C. L. Blanton, Jr., Thelma Alexander, Mamie Sharp.

Employment Division—C. B. Graham, Mary Goslee, Virginia McMillan, Irene Buchanan.

Operations Division—Earl Johnson, W. K. Bruton, Adam Hogg, Martha Davis, Christine Phillips, Womens and Professional—D. E. Gasche, Nica Calvin.

Finance and Statistics—N. E. Fuchs, Jr., Rubye Webb, Maxine Jenkins, Norma Robert, Charley Richey, Lucille Adams, Melvin Goodman, Herbert Johnson, Walter Wilson, Mildred Allard, Mary Rose Arnold.

Area Employees of Women and Professional—Melissa Rigdon, Flora Hirsch.

Area Employees of Finance and Statistics—D. P. Rankin, Paul Davis, John H. James.

Area Employees of Operations Department—Leon Groves, Dwight W. Little, C. E. Saxon, L. S. Davis, H. H. Sutterfield, T. J. McCallum.

Area Clerks Attached to Area Offices—Nina Middleton, Hattie Herrell, Rubye Newsom, Sybil Hayes, Hazel Dillard, Mary Emma Powell.

## Hoppers Causing Damage In New Madrid County

A survey of the County taken from reports by office callers and farm visits by Assistant Agent Lane indicates serious damage possible from grasshoppers. The areas infested to date are Gideon, Risco, Lilbourn, Kawnee, Morewood and an area in the Northeast part of the County. However, in each of the areas named, only two or three farms are affected.

The hoppers are yet in constricted areas, around fence rows, in lespedeza and timothy pastures, and in the alfalfa. A measure to indicate whether the hoppers may become serious: a general infestation of fifteen hoppers per square yard. This means seven to ten hoppers fly at each step as you walk across the field. An infestation of fifteen hoppers per square yard in a forty acre alfalfa field will eat one and a half tons of alfalfa per day.

Since the hopper infestation is so spotted in this County, there will be no attempt to establish mixing centers. Federal supplies of poison and bran have been stationed in Benton. The poison bait is being mixed and is for distribution at 25 cents per 100 pounds already mixed and ready for application. Two or three farmers who need bait may pool their order and reduce the expense of hauling it. Apply 20 pounds of poison per acre. The only satisfactory method we can recommend is spreading either by hand or with an "end gate" seed-feder by hand. Spread the bait between midnight and daylight because the hoppers begin feeding at daylight. If a thorough job of spreading the poison is done, leaving no lumps or piles of the bait, there is no danger of killing birds or livestock.

## Miss Helen Elizabeth Smith Weds Daniel Currie Beattie In Washington June 24

Miss Helen Elizabeth Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Strother Smith, became the bride of Daniel Currie Beattie Saturday afternoon, June 24th, at the St. Matthews Church in Washington City, D. C.

Monsieur Buckley read the services at 4 o'clock before the altar banked with palms and baskets of mixed flowers and on which were branched candelabra holding lighted candles. The kneeling cushions were of white satin.

The bride entered on the arm of Orville Zimmerman, Congressman from Missouri, to the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March. She was preceded down the aisle by her matron of honor, Mrs. Whitney, the maid of honor, Mrs. Kathryn Hirs, and six bridesmaids, Mrs. George Wells, Miss Isabelle Stuart, Miss Margaret Beattie, Miss Kathryn Beattie, Miss Vallette Sayers of Bernie, Mo., and her sister, Mrs. Walter Ansell of Sikeston.

A gown of imported white satin, falling to the floor in straight lines and extending into a four yard pleated train and with an Elizabethan collar of the satin, was worn by the bride. It was designed by Patou. A long veil of tulle was fastened to the hair with a Juliet cap, trimmed with orange blossoms. The bridal bouquet was of cream roses and lilies of the valley, and a double strand of pearls, the gift of her husband, was worn by the bride. The matron of honor wore a gown of ombre green chiffon with a hat of the same material. She carried Better Times roses. The maid of honor was gowned in rose net over tulle, with which she wore a large leghorn hat. Her belt and hat trimming were of multicolored taffeta and her bouquet was talisman roses. The bridesmaids wore made of citron, peach and aqua marine chiffon, designed with detachable capes. They wore large hats of horsehair braid, and lace gloves of the color of their gowns, and carried bouquets of mixed flowers.

The groom, his best man, George Wells, and the six ushers wore the conventional attire of striped trousers and cutaway coats. The bride's mother wore a fuchsia chiffon gown with horsehair braid hat and peach accessories. Her corsage was of pink rosebuds. Mrs. Beattie was

gowned in dove gray and wore gardenias. After the ceremony a reception was held in the Continental ballroom at the Wardman-Park Hotel. Later the bridal couple left for a honeymoon in New York and possibly a trip to Bermuda.

Mrs. Beattie is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Smith of Sikeston and was a popular member of her set here. She has been in Washington for the past several years where she has been in government work.

Mr. Beattie is a broker in Washington and is a former resident of Culpepper County, Virginia, where his mother has a home. After their wedding trip, the young couple will return to Washington, where Mr. Beattie has furnished an apartment for his bride.

## FUNERAL SERVICES FOR JOS. J. VAUGHN

Funeral services were held at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist Church in Morley for Joseph J. Vaughn, 68, who died Tuesday of tuberculosis. Interment was in the Morley Cemetery with Welsh Service. Surviving Mr. Vaughn are his widow, Mrs. Maude Vaughn, and five children. They are Mrs. Letha Burns, McMullin; Mrs. Ina Mae Comstock, Vanduser; Mrs. Louise Armstrong, St. Louis; Willie and Virgie Vaughn, both of Los Angeles, Calif.; three brothers, Therman Vaughn, Altus, Okla.; N. W. Vaughn, Malden, Riley Vaughn, Malden; two sisters, Mrs. Letha Bowers, and Mrs. Adeline Venable, of Malden, and ten grandchildren. His first wife preceded him in death six years ago.

## LIONS CLUB MEETS

Ralph Potashnick 3rd vice-president, presided at the luncheon meeting of the Lion's Club Wednesday, in the absence of President Scott, and the first and second vice-presidents.

Routine business and discussion of plans to send a delegation to the National Convention of Lion's Club in Chicago this month were taken up during the hour.

Mrs. Murray Klein entertained Wednesday and Thursday with bridge parties, at her home on South Kingshighway.

## SOFTBALL SCORES

The softball games played Monday night resulted in the following scores:

National League.  
Jack's Y. 24  
I. O. O. F. 5  
Batteries: Jack's Y. Bidewell and Sutton. I. O. O. F., Page, Wagner and Clinton.

American League.  
Hiway 17  
Int. Shoe 3  
Batteries: Hiway, Law and Kuehnell. Int. Shoe, Bennett, Graham and R. Williams.

## Tuesday Night Organization League

Jr. C. of C. 17  
Legion 2  
Batteries: Jr. C. of C. Dempster and Rabb. Legion: Montgomery and Rabb.

## THE ICHY ARTHUR'S RETURN FROM SOUTHERN TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. "Ichy" Arthur have returned home from a very pleasant vacation spent in the south.

Traveling by boat on the "Golden Eagle," a real old-time River Packet from Cape Girardeau to Muscle Shoals, Ala., the friendliness and hospitality of the Genial Captain "Buck" Leyhe and his crew together with the grand meals served made this a perfect boat trip.

After seeing the great Wilson Dam and other points of interest they drove to Birmingham then to Montgomery from there to Dothan, Ala., where they spent a short time with Mrs. Arthur's brother, James Vickers and wife. Leaving there they visited several points in Florida, among them Ponce De Leon's Fountain of Youth, (Look Ichy Over) and Pensacola, where the largest Naval Air Base in the U. S. is located.

A week end and was spent in New Orleans and while there they went through the Cabildo, the historic St. Louis Cathedral, and the old St. Louis Cemetery having been in use since 1720. From there to Baton Rouge, La., where they were shown through the state capital building, 34 stories high which Louisiana claims is the most beautiful capitol building in the U. S. A. The grave of Huey P. Long marks one of the most beautiful spots of the twenty-seven acre capitol grounds. From there to one of the most interesting points of the south, the Vicksburg National Military Park, where some 17000 veterans are buried.

They report a most enjoyable trip void of accidents, but were glad to get back to the best town in the best state in the union.

## MRS. ANNA JOHNSON DIES

Mrs. Anna Johnson, colored, who died June 28, is survived by two girls, Mrs. Bell Luckett of Toledo, Ohio, and Mrs. Ellar White of Belem, Miss.; three boys, Lee and Jimmie Johnson of Sikeston and Willie Johnson of St. Louis; two grandchildren, Minnie Koonce of Sikeston and Lucie White of Sikeston.

Mrs. Johnson was born in Talladega County in Alabama about 1872. She was identified with the Baptist Church for 40 years and had lived a christian life in Sikeston since she came here in 1923.

## THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Special Fourth of July Services will be held at the Presbyterian Church Sunday morning at the nine o'clock hour. The pastor will preach a special sermon for the occasion on, "The Land Of The Free."

At the Sunday evening hour the third of a series of talks on The Lord's Prayer will be given on the text, "Thy Kingdom Come, Thy Will Be Done." Sunday evening services are held in the basement of the church during the hot weeks of the summer. The hour is eight.

The Young People have discontinued their Sunday evening meetings until fall. Sunday School will be held at 10 a. m.

The Women's Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. W. A. Johnson on North Kingshighway Monday evening.

## Niece Of A. C. Barrett Wed In Doniphan Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett spent the week end in Doniphan at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. R. C. Barrett, and on Sunday, attended the wedding of Miss Helen Daugherty to Nelson Watson of Centerville, Mo. Mrs. Watson is a niece of Mr. Barrett and has visited in his home here several times.

The Sikeston Standard \$2 per year

## SIKESTON STANDARD COMPLIMENTARY TICKET

This Ticket Will Admit Mr. and Mrs. Neal Kornegger Prosperity St.

to the MALONE THEATRE Friday, July 2 to See "Captains Courageous"



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Entered at the Postoffice at Sikeston, Scott County, Missouri, as second-class mail matter, according to act of Congress.

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Reading notices, per line... 10c  
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Yearly subscription in Scott and the adjoining counties... \$2.00  
Yearly subscription elsewhere in the United States... \$2.50

For President in 1940  
**BENNETT CHAMP CLARK**  
OF MISSOURI

"His Razor was dull but he fit a good fight," this is the subject that a local minister has offered to use in preaching a funeral oration over the editor's body. This was mighty kind in the preacher, but we may out last him and shall select a suitable subject to use in his obituary.

Yes, we are still sober. Some times we are glad of it and then again we are not. With a few highballs under our belt there is no telling what sort of gems would flow from our pencil.

## Sister of Mrs. Henry Williams Dies At Buffington

Mrs. Rosa Ann Williams, wife of D. E. Williams, died at the home north of Buffington, Friday, June 25. Services were held by Rev. A. C. Sullivan at the Baptist Church in Morehouse, at 2:30 o'clock. Burial was in the Morley Cemetery with Welsh Service.

Surviving besides the husband are 2 sons, Theo Williams, Wichita Falls, Tex.; Reginald Williams, who resides at the family home, and one grandson. Three sisters, Mrs. Henry Williams, Sikeston; Mrs. Hayes Easley, Tolu, Ky.; Mrs. John Alvon, Geneva, Ky.; the aged mother, Mrs. Ann Nation, Tolu, Ky.

## INFANT PASSES AWAY NEAR MOREHOUSE

Beulah Alice Jordan, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jordan died June 25 at the home northwest of Morehouse at the age of 1 year, 7 months and 20 days. She is survived by the

## Style Mart Employees Association, Mayfield, Ky. Softball Team Playing in Sikeston, July 6th



Top row left to right—DeWese, B. Mason, Ewin, Bennett, Sweeney. Second row left to right—Kiesey, Heneley, Shaw, Jordan, W. Mason. Third row left to right—Jeffries, Gibson, McCure, Rule, J. Mason, Hal—bat boy.

parents, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Irvin who live near Morehouse.

Services were held at the Bernice Cemetery Sunday afternoon at 2:00, with burial in that cemetery by Welsh Service.

## REV. ARTHUR FRYE DIES AT VANDUSER

Funeral services were held Monday morning at 10:00 at the Church of God in Vanduser for Rev. Arthur Frye, who died at his home Saturday. He was born December 18, 1911 in Crowder, Mo., and lived his entire life in Missouri. In December, 1932 he was married to Miss Omogene Stacy and to the union one daughter was born.

He is survived by the widow and daughter, 3 sisters, Mrs. Ruth Moore, Festus; Mrs. Eunice Counselor, Crowder; Miss Floy Frye, Festus, Mo.; 2 brothers, Paul and Met Frye, Festus.

Rev. John Cullins of Crowder officiated at the services, and burial was in Carpenter Cemetery. Welsh Service.

## CAPT. SHEPPARD AND SGT. REED CONDUCT SCHOOL

Sgt. Rufus Reed of the Missouri State Highway Patrol left for Nevada to make preparations for the Patrol School which starts there Thursday, July 1.

Thirty-six newly selected candidates for the patrol will report there for 30 days of training before becoming probationers for a six months period. They were selected by examinations held at Jefferson City last week from 500 applicants.

Capt. A. D. Sheppard of Troop E, Sikeston, is in charge of the school. The three applicants called from the Southeast Missouri section are Wade Shankle, weight officer at Sikeston; Cletis B. Bidwell, Sikeston high school teacher and Herbert F. Wickham, chief of police at Cape Girardeau.

## CAPE GOLFS DEFAT SIKESTON 31 TO 26

Cape Country Club defeated Sikeston in a special match here Sunday, June 27, 1937 by a score of 31 to 26. Orville Lumsden was low scorer for Sikeston with a 66 which tied the local course record. Buddy Bartels was low for Cape with a 70. The scores follow—Cape player first:

Cole	72
Lumsden	66
Oliver	75
Alexander	70
Stuber	75
Medley	75
Knehan	78
McClure	84
Bartels	70
G. W. Kirk	73
Harris	77
Mahew	86
T. Mulkey	77
H. J. Kirk	78
Cox	80
Stallcup	84
Ferguson	86
Keith	84
Statler	74
Limbaugh	88
Herbert	80
Sidwell	84
Cofer	86
Taubert	80
Gibbs	88
Fisher	86
Pettigrew	96
Martin	94

O. Mulkey... 78  
Moose... 95  
Simmons... 86  
Harty... 87  
Finch... 84  
Robbins... 90  
Reynolds... 92  
Fr. Monahan... 88  
Green... 95  
Stallings... 90  
Oliver... 94  
Mann... 89

## Ontario Premier Hepburn Says Government Will Stop CIO

Orillia, Ontario, June 27.—A declaration that his government would stop CIO agitators "at the Detroit River" and a charge that President Roosevelt had been favorably influenced to the CIO because John L. Lewis had contributed \$500,000 to his presidential campaign was made here by Premier Hepburn of Ontario, speaking before the Twentieth Century Liberal Association.

Who was Lewis? asked the Premier. What was his record? How ruthless had he been? Lewis, he charged, had sent an educational director of the CIO to Windsor, Ontario, not long ago, and ordered him to start sit-down strikes in Ontario, defy the courts and take the law of the country into his own hands.

On the morning of June 22, 1922, said the Premier, some 50 members of the Steam Shovel Union, which, with the United Mine Workers, headed by Lewis, were at odds, were brought out of the strip mine of the Southern Illinois Coal Company under a flag of truce.

They had been promised safe conduct to their homes, he said, before they could entrain they were lined up against a barbed-wire fence, faced with a semi-circle of some 500 armed union miners. Fire was opened upon the little defenseless group, and before the smoke had cleared away some 19 of them were dead and 20 wounded.

"The victims had broken no laws," said Hepburn, "but they had committed the unpardonable crime of refusing allegiance and tribute to Lewis and his gang. It was one of the most atrocious massacres in the United States' history."

Under British law and British institutions, labor could expect fair play and Canadians could settle their strikes and difficulties "without that bloodshed that occurred in the steel districts of the

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## United States," Hepburn said.

"We do not want any of that in our history, and we won't have it as long as we refuse to allow ourselves to become subservient to Lewis, the labor dictator," the Premier said.

Lewis' sole concern, he said, was to extract money from the pay envelopes of the workmen both here and in the States. Had he shown any feeling for workmen when he ordered them to rush armed policemen? Afterward he had called the results "murder," but he had ordered the rush with as little compunction as he might dole out "influence" from the \$36,000,000 he was reported to collect annually in dues.

## CCC to Enroll 53,995 in July

Washington, June 26. — The Civilian Conservation Corps announced today 53,995 youths and war veterans would be enrolled in July as replacements for the remainder of the year.

The program, approved by Acting Director James J. McEntee, is contingent on President Roosevelt's approval of the CCC extension bill enacted by Congress, and the appropriation of funds for operating costs in the 1938 fiscal year.

It provides for the maintenance of the CCC at an enrolled strength of 300,000 young men and war veterans, 10,000 Indians

## and 5000 territorials.

Approximately 5000 war veterans and 49,000 unmarried young men between the ages of 17 and 23 years of age will be enrolled as replacements. The state replacements quotas will include: Illinois, 3772, and 374, and Missouri, 680, and none.

## SEWING PALS MET

The Sewing Pals Club met at the home of Vanita Fennimore, on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Ella Fikuart met with us and helped us plan our Laundry bags, which we will sew next, we darned hose at our last meetings. She also told us about the 4-H

Club camp meeting at Arcadia which will be in July. We are planning to attend.

After a social hour delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Our next meeting will be at the home of Lela Gasser, next Wednesday afternoon.—Lela Gasser, Reporter.

Hemmings: "Do you drink?" Smith: "No."

Hemmings: "Then hold this bottle while I tie my shoe."

Husband: "I suppose you are going to ask me where I got this black eye?"

Wife: "No, you didn't have that black eye when you came home last night."



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# Washington Comment

Congress moves on slowly with its everyday grind. That does not mean, however, that it is occupying its time with the location of new lamp posts and matters that would keep a city council busy. The congressional output is of large proportions. A billion and a half for relief, approved recently by the Senate, is a good example of the fact that Congress is concerned with big things, even though no great amount of fuss is made about it. Some battleships will be built, too, but they may be passed almost without remark, since only forty million dollars or so apiece is involved. In committee, there is an investigation the broadly stated object of which is to straighten out the tangle in which the C. I. O. and its opposers are involved. As to details, there are interference with the mails, martial law, alleged thug work and dozens of other points to be considered, with the little politics intermingled, to lend complications. Congress sometimes moves slowly, and it is to be hoped that before the strike investigation is concluded in Washington, the strikers and their employers will find a way out, of their own making. This might be a good place to say something about the dinner pail, which used to be a symbol of industrial peace, but changing times have made the dinner pail almost as much of a museum piece as a candle stick.

Mr. Mussolini casts a troubled eye over the peninsular homeland and is concerned about the declining birth rate, a matter which attracts attention and gives rise to comment wherever noted. It is said that the condition should be remedied for the glory of the Fascist state. The glory has found expression in some acts that to the world beyond the boundaries of Italy seem to embody few of the elements which most persons think appertain to glory, for example the grabbing of Ethiopia. Napoleon Bonaparte is credited with the remark that a child could stop a bullet as well as a man. When the Duce makes it clear that he disapproves heartily

of Napoleonic marches of conquest, his desire for an increase in the population will be looked upon as arising out of the anxiety of a sincere and benign statesman. All saving confirmed globe trotters consider a trip to Moscow as something of a journey, including long rail rides, an ocean crossing, and so on. Three gentlemen from Russia have found a quicker though more dangerous way to link the Soviet city with the American Pacific coast. Sixty-three hours in an airplane, and the jaunt is over, with nothing but the north polar territory as an impediment, but as Hamlet remarked, "There's the rub." Travel by air is the commonly accepted method of getting somewhere in a hurry, and is regarded as part of the business man's routine. Going to the North Pole by any means of transportation is quite another matter. The North Pole will have to be made more hospitable before short cuts from the back door of the United States to the back door of Europe are popular.

In the thirty-fourth heavyweight championship bout in fifty years, Joe Louis laid out James J. Braddock for the full count. During the half century, the title has changed hands eleven times. A game and courageous fighter, Braddock could not out-box both his opponent and the thirty-two years that stood to his disadvantage in the vital statistics. Eight rounds did the business. The spectators did not get as much for their money as those who saw John L. Sullivan beat Jack Kilrain in seventy-five rounds in 1889 in the last bare knuckle championship encounter. The old timers are inclined to think that "there were giants in those days", and wonder what either Sullivan or Kilrain would have done to Louis or to Braddock.

## COLORED WOMEN'S DEM. CLUB MET TUES. NIGHT

The Colored Women's Democratic Club met Tuesday evening at the home of the president, Mrs. Martha Roach, with a good attendance. On July 3rd, the Club will hold a lawn social at the home of Ed Howard to which everybody is cordially invited. The social will start at 7 p. m.

## AUXILIARY NOTES

An enjoyable meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary was

held Monday evening at the home of Mrs. L. J. Langley. The Welfare Chairman gave a report of her work and plans were made to dispose of three rugs and use the money realized from the sale of the welfare work.

The annual picnic held by the Auxiliary on the 4th of July has been postponed this year until Sunday, July 11th.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. R. H. Wagner of July 12th.

## LOCALS

Miss Muriel Edwards, office assistant to Dr. H. E. Reuber, expects to leave about the 9th of July for Denver, Colo., where she will enter the Osteopathic Post Graduate College for a two-weeks course in secretarial training.

Miss Lucy Bird of Bird's Mill was a week end guest of Mrs. G. Daniel.

J. W. Foley and son Billy are spending a few days in St. Louis. Mr. and Mrs. Wade Moore and daughter Miss Ruth, and Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bennett of Bloomfield, left Saturday on a month's trip to points in Oregon.

Jimmy and Patsy Cochran are visiting this week with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fitch in Charleston.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Goetz Saturday afternoon in St. Francis Hospital at Cape Girardeau.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Butler and baby of Peoria, Ill., are expected to arrive Sunday to visit Mrs. Butler's mother, Mrs. R. K. Bone and sister, Mrs. Lawrence Whybark.

Mrs. Byron Bowman and little daughter Jane, left Tuesday for Denver, Colo., to spend two-months with her sister, Mrs. Ernest Arterburn.

Mrs. T. B. Dudley returned to St. Louis Saturday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baker Sr. She was accompanied by Mrs. Lacy Allard, Miss Florence Baker and their nephew, Chuck Baker of Chicago, who remained for several days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Couey spent the week end in DeSoto, as guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Couey Jr. Mrs. L. L. Conster and sons are visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Boaz in Parma.

Miss Alma Harris is spending this week in St. Louis.

The boys Sunday school class of the Methodist church taught by Charles Bethune, were hosts to Mrs. J. M. Pitman's class of girls, Monday evening at a swimming party at the Sikeston pool.

John Russell is recovering from an attack of illness suffered Saturday night at his home north-west of Sikeston.

Caleb Smith visited his daughters in St. Louis from Monday until Thursday, when he was accompanied home by Mrs. Smith who had been in the city the past several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jackson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hayden and children were in Poplar Bluff Sunday to visit with Mr. Jackson's sister-in-law, Mrs. E. C. Jackson and her mother who are patients in the Lucy Lee Hospital, recovering from injuries received in an automobile accident.

Mrs. William Northington was hostess at a bridge party Thursday afternoon, at her home on North Kingshighway.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Langley and family and Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wagner and children, spent last week end at Big Spring.

A. M. Jackson, Reginald Harwell and Bill Holley transacted business in St. Louis from Thursday until Saturday, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dye, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dye and children of Benton, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Dye, Sunday.

Mrs. V. H. Sharp, who had been here with her daughter Mrs. Pleas Malcolm since the birth of the latter's baby, returned last week end to her home in Gideon.

Mrs. W. E. Hollingsworth entertained Tuesday evening with a six o'clock dinner in her home on Dorothy street.

Dr. and Mrs. H. E. Reuber left Tuesday for Chicago where the former will attend the National Convention of American Doctors of Osteopathy. They will also spend some time in Canada before returning home.

## Zimmerman Will Represent Gov. Stark at Valley Forge

Congressman Orville Zimmerman, who was called home from Washington several days ago on account of the death of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary C. Hemphill, received a telegram Saturday from Governor Lloyd C. Stark, requesting the congressman from the Tenth Congressional District to be the official representative of the State of Missouri at the annual Fourth of July Celebration at Valley Forge, and to personally convey greetings from this state in the absence of the governor.—Dunklin Democrat.

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## Personal and Society News from Pleasant Valley

There was an attendance of 58 at Sunday School Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Merrick and family has as their guests, the latter's cousin, Mrs. Mallory and daughter of Tulsa, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Boardman had as their guests Sunday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Judson Boardman and son, Judson Jr., of Sikeston and Raymond Dame.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Allen had as their guest Sunday, Mr. Dewey Merrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dame and daughters, Nora Jo and Mrs. Elbei Jefferies, and Lillie Allen and Vera Shelton, visited friends and relatives at Crowder, Sunday afternoon.

Gale Allen and Sherman Ramsey spent Sunday with Lyman Dame.

Ogle and Robert Miller had as their guests Sunday, Raymond Allen.

Anna Allen spent Sunday and Sunday night with Janice Larcom.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shelton and daughter, Vera attended church at Miner Switch Sunday night.

Sherman Ramsey, who has been working in the Illinois Coal Mines the past winter, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ramsey.

Juanita, Cornelia and Delores Akers of near Sikeston are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Inman.

## \$15,000,000 Lost in Steel Strike

Chicago—The strike in the steel area during the first five weeks had cost 85,000 workers more than 15,000,000, it was estimated, and the total was mounting at the rate of over \$500,000 a day. In the Chicago district alone the strike involves 22,000 steel workers who have lost more than \$2,500,000 in wages.

Wages, hours and working conditions are not the point at issue but a signed contract with the Steel Workers' Organizing Committee, a division of the C. I. O. The steel companies agreed to bargain with the SWOC for such workers as they represent, but refused to sign a written agreement, claiming that they would sign no contract with an irresponsible party. They pointed out that General Motors had 180 strikes within a few months after the signing of a contract with C. I. O.

## CIVIL SERVICE EXAMS.

The United States Civil Commission has announced open competitive examinations for the positions named below:

Junior agricultural engineer, \$2,000 a year; Soil Conservation Service, and Bureau of Agricultural Engineering.

Chief of library service division, \$5,600 a year; specialist in public libraries, \$3,800 a year; and specialist in school libraries, \$3,800 a year; Office of Education, Interior Department.

For positions in the apportioned service at Washington, D. C., applicants must show legal or voting residence in the State or Territory claimed for at least 1 year next preceding the closing date for receipt of applications. All States except Iowa, Maryland, Massachusetts, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, and the District of Columbia, have received less than their quota of appointments in the apportioned departmental service at Washington, D. C.

Full information may be obtained from Dave Reece, Secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board of Examiners, at the post office in this city.

## MISLEADING AUTO ADS TO BE CORRECTED

Washington, June 27.—The Federal Trade Commission announced today that manufacturers of 10 automobile lines have agreed to correct alleged discrepancies between pictures and prices in some of their advertisements.

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## OUTSTANDING USED BARGAINS

One late model genuine Frigidaire with the Meter-Miser, medium size, one small size Grunow in A-1 condition, one small General Electric going good, small beverage cooler with an O. K. on it, quarter horse power compressors, two or them, any or all at bargain figures with plenty of time to pay.

## WHO CARES WHAT THE NEIGHBORS SAY?

You care and you know you do. Normal, self-respecting human beings everywhere like the good will and praise of friends and neighbors. On that score your neighbors probably know more about the out of date furnishings and ill arrangements in your home if you have them than you think they do. This is a mere suggestion that one's social standing may be strengthened somewhat by keeping abreast of modern trends in equipment. And, further, that may be done under present price schedules with small outlay. "Your home should come first".

## SEE OUR WINDOWS THIS WEEK

If I know anything about it window dressers have done an outstanding job of arrangement this week along our entire eighty foot front. Of course we are eager for window shoppers to inspect them and pass their impressions along to friends. Bedroom—living room and Frigidaires have the stage. By the way there is a surprising demonstration of ice making by Frigidaire included in two of these models. In one of them a solid cake of ice weighing 75 lbs., is ready for inspection in the spot just where it was frozen by this Frigidaire. In another are between five and six hundred perfect ice cubes frozen in less than a day by the Frigidaire that contains them. If there is any doubt in any mind as to the "iceability" of Frigidaires this should dispel it.

## MORE ADVANCES

Notices are coming from various carpet mills of advancing prices to take effect July 1st. The increase will run from \$2.50 to \$5.00 per rug in 9x12 fair quality wool fabrics. Old prices are prevailing on most numbers now in stock but of course when we buy again costs will be higher. Those buying within the next week or so will surely effect savings.

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C. L. BLANTON, EDITOR

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 Bank Statements... \$10.00  
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There was considerable of a rukus kicked up near the Baptist church Tuesday night when Paul Jones car crowded the car of Clay Hunter to the curb. The two men came together and after they were separated it was found Hunter had a bad cut over the eye that was feared would cause the loss of the eye, and Paul got his head badly pummeled against the concrete pavement. Hunter was given emergency treatment, then taken to a Cape Girardeau hospital. Jones was taken to his home. No arrests have been made and what caused the personal mixup is not known.

William G. Corrigan, of Poplar Bluff, is now associated with the Bank of Sikeston as advisor in legal and tax matters. The young man is a graduate of Georgetown University Law School and has been raised up in the shadow of a bank and will be a valuable acquisition to the bank and to the city.

From far away Argentine Republic came Senor Tagle, a graduate of the University of Buenos Aires, to visit the State of Missouri and study the road building program of our State in order that he might use the information gathered in his country. He spent two days in Sikeston and was accompanied by an engineer out of State headquarters at Jefferson City.

The only reason the car load of young ladies did not stop to lend first aid to the injured in the fight Tuesday night, was that not a single one of them had on a petticoat that could be used to bind up the injuries.

"Dere goes 'date slatternly Mandy Jackson wid her ten pickaninies. She sho do look repugnant."

"Lan sakes! Again?"

The public should go slow in forming an opinion as to the guilt or innocence of County Officers accused of being short in their settlements. Each of us want every cent due us for services rendered and these county officials were caught between two State rulings as to what fees they were entitled to. Hardly a county in the State but what shortages have been found, some were made good, others yet to be decided. The ordinary citizen knows nothing about the fees allowed to the officials therefore should go slow with their talk. We are from Missouri and have got to be shown before we believe supposed shortages are short.

Lawrence Ables, with forty men begun excavating north Street Thursday morning preparatory to paving that street from North New Madrid west to the Frisco tracks. Surveyors are setting stakes on Scott from Malone Avenue to Murray Lane and on Moore Avenue North. And some people WPA money has been thrown away.

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## Personal and Society News From Salcedo

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holmes were Sunday guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Miller of Vanduser. Miss Gladys and Virginia Ward, and Miss Jessie Stacey, were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Miss Stacey's sister, Mrs. Grady Kiser, at Blodgett.

Mr. and Mrs. George Zoph, were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Charney, and family of Sikeston. Roy Miller, Carthel Miller, and Marie Hope were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Hall and family.

Mr. Faulkner and sons attended business in Cape Girardeau, Saturday evening.

Miss Josephine Harmon was the Saturday night guest of Miss Jessie Calleen Stacey.

Mrs. Clark left for St. Louis last week where she will undergo an operation for cancer. Her many friends wish her success.

Betty and Jackie Mitchell, grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Walt Hutchison, who has been visiting here for the last several weeks returned to their home Sunday.

The two children of Ellick Patrick are visiting relatives in St. Louis this week.

## Personal and Society News from Landers Ridge

Mr. and Mrs. Geo Porter and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Barker and daughter of Sikeston spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Porter and daughter.

Loren Thompson of Normal, Illinois who is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Mamie Johnson is ill at present.

Margaret and Mildred Cronsop spent Sunday afternoon with Zelma Kem.

Miss Martha Fletcher of Chicago and Mrs. Grace Cox of Decatur, Ill., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Pearson and son spent the week end with the former's mother, Mrs. A. W. Pearson and sons.

Rev. Homer Gunn of Kewanee filled his regular appointment at Landers Ridge church Sunday morning and evening.

Harry Chartran of New Madrid and Charles Rhodes and Inell Moore spent Sunday afternoon with Edwyna Johnson.

Mrs. Owen Johnson and daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Fletcher and daughter, Mrs. A. J. Heniser and children, and Mrs. Willie Porter and daughter spent Tuesday with Mrs. Louis Kem and daughters.

## Personal and Society News From Oran

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Genoway of Fredericktown and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Webster Groves were here calling on friends last week.

Dr. Bowman and family of St. Louis spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bowman.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker are here from Louisiana for a visit with the latter's mother, Mrs. Pauline Reichert.

Mrs. Bessie Davenport of Osceola, Ark., has been visiting her father.

Frank Metz who has a position in St. Louis spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Halter and Steve Tindall Jr., of St. Louis and Alfred Halter and wife of Cape Girardeau were here Sunday to see their mother and grandmother.

Mrs. Robert Halter who has been seriously ill the past week.

Mrs. Effie Damron spent from Wednesday until Sunday of last week with her mother in Senath. She was accompanied home by her niece Miss Aline McLean who will visit here for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McCray and family and Ed McDowell were recent visitors at the home of their daughter Mrs. Ira Davenport in Osceola. Miss Wilma McCray remained for two weeks visit and also expects to visit in Wilson, Arkansas with Rev. and Mrs. Seger before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clayton and children of Romulus, Michigan were at the Chas. Burrus home Monday.

Mr. Ates came home Friday of last week from the Barnes Hospital in St. Louis where he was a surgical patient.

Mr. and Mrs. eLsie Center and daughter Jane of Texas are visiting at the Mark Dunn home.

Claude O'Connor and family of Sikeston, Mrs. May Pulenwider and daughters and Mrs. Otis Bryans were dinner guests on Father's Day at the W. B. Myers home.

Funeral services were held Tuesday in the Baptist Church for the aged mother of Mrs. Will Riley who passed away Sunday after a long illness at the home of Mrs. Riley.

## PATTERSON NAMED ON JOBLESS BOARD

Jefferson City, Mo., June 29.—Gov. Stark today named William L. Patterson of St. Louis as a member of the State Unemployment Compensation Commission, representing the interests of employers.

The law creating the three-

member administrative body to handle the state's new "job insurance" act calls for one representative of labor, one of employers and one of the general public. Each commissioner receives \$7500 a year.

Patterson, now director of the outstate division of the Associated Industries of Missouri, is the second commission member to be named.

Andrew J. Murphy of Louisiana, Mo., the Governor's close adviser, previously was designated chairman of the commission and member representing the general public. The labor member is yet to be announced.

Patterson is 49 and a native of Missouri, the Governor said. He is a graduate of the Kirkville Teachers' College and the Benton School of Law, St. Louis.

"Some years ago Patterson was a citizen of Sikeston, a lawyer and was secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, then moved to St. Louis where he has since resided. He was a likeable chap and will be a splendid member of that Commission."

Funeral Services For Ernest Prindle At Oran Catholic Church Friday Morning

Funeral services for Ernest Prindle will be held at 9 o'clock this (Friday) morning at the Guardian Angel Church in Oran, with Father Helmbacher officiating. Interment will be in the Catholic Cemetery at Oran with Welsh Service.

## NAZIS DEMAND COLONIES' RETURN

Berlin, June 28.—Nazi Germany laid her demands for colonies, raw materials and a share in world trade before the International Chamber of Commerce as its biennial convention, a world parliament on business, opened here today.

Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler heard his lieutenants state Germany's case at the first session, and applauded from his seat in the president's box.

The 1500 delegates from 38 countries heard two Nazi Government spokesmen, Col. Gen Hermann Wilhelm Goering, Hitler's chief aid, and Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, Economics Minister.

At the first plenary session today, Ernst Trendelenburg, former acting Minister of Economics

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and later Assistant General Secretary of the League of Nations, urged access to raw materials for Germany.

The German demands were backed up by a delegation comprising more than one-third of the total delegates.

Goering said, "You may be sure Germany will continue to bring up the colonial problem until her urgent and legitimate desires regarding colonies are fulfilled."

"Furthermore," he continued, "Germany is working with all her energy on the undertaking known as the four-year plan."

He defended the Reich's rearmament, and added that "as far as it depends on Germany there will not be another war."

Dr. Schacht emphasized the need for raw materials and said the delegates would have to consider whether peace is served "if it is possible to open or close great sources of raw materials to any nation purely for political purposes."

He said an equalized program would "automatically put an end to economic nationalism and all so-called autarchic endeavors."

The German delegates improved an opportunity to try to gain sympathy for the Reich's program of self-sufficiency, the four-year plan directed by Goering.

Thomas J. Watson of New York was elected unanimously to serve as president of the international chamber for the period 1937-1939. A Japanese invitation to hold the next congress in Tokyo in 1939 was accepted.

## CIO TO ORGANIZE STATE, CITY EMPLOYEES

Washington, June 27.—The CIO is preparing to form a union of state, county and municipal employees, labor leaders said today.

A. D. Lewis, younger brother of the CIO chief, John L. Lewis, has been entrusted with the job of setting up the new union.

The latest official estimate is that there were 1,789,000 state, county and municipal employees in 1934. This figure does not include teachers and other educational workers.

The CIO has already begun to organize federal workers into the United States Federal Workers of America.

## NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Notice is hereby given, that letters testamentary on the estate of Chas. D. Matthews, Jr., deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 28 day of June, 1937, by the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of said letters, they shall be forever barred.

ELEANOR B. MATTHEWS,  
 VIRGINIA M. PHILLIPS,  
 CHAS. D. MATTHEWS SRD.,  
 Executors.

Witness my hand and seal of the Probate Court of Scott County.  
 (SEAL) O. L. SPENCER,  
 Probate Judge.

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The Fourth of July will be celebrated on Monday and, therefore, the highways will be crowded with automobiles and people. Thousands upon thousands of cars will wind their way to various spots for picnics, visits with rela-

tives, outings, and other forms of amusement.

At the end of the celebration, hundreds and hundreds of people will be dead because of failure to comply with safe practices.

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It's smart to be careful—death takes no holiday.

Approximately 16,000 public health nurses are employed by nearly 4,500 different agencies in the United States to protect the health of the nation. Of this number, 549 nurses are Negroes, according to the National Tuberculosis Association.

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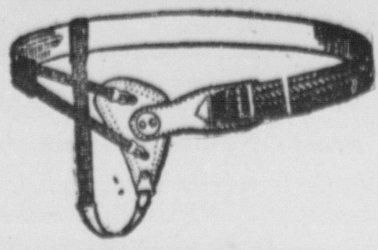
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 30c Mexican Heat Powder.....19c  
 50c McKesson's Milk of Magnesia .....33c

\$1.35 Pinkhams Veg. Comp. ....99c  
 75c Mendenhall Chill Tonic .....53c  
 35c Vicks Salve .....21c  
 60c Alka Seltzer .....49c  
 \$1.00 Wine Cardui .....69c  
 40c Castoria .....27c  
 60c Mum .....49c  
 50c 666 Liq. or Tab. ....33c  
 30c Mentholatum .....19c  
 \$1.00 Alarm Clocks .....79c  
 50c Pint Mineral Oil .....19c  
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### SEDALIA BEAUTY SHOW AUGUST 18, 19 AND 20TH

A special bulletin was received at the Standard office this week from the Sedalia regional office of the Miss America Beauty Pageant stating that the finals to select a representative for the state will be held in the Fox-Liberty Theatre at Sedalia August 18, 19 and 20th.

E. J. Jordan, regional director, stated the bulletin was sent out as a result of the misunderstanding caused by the announcement by the Missouri State Fair that they were sponsoring no beauty pageant this year. The State Fair is sponsoring the Missouri Amateur Dance Championship instead. The same organization that has sponsored the previous pageants will be in charge this year, but they will not be in connection with the State Fair.

Miss Esther Jane Greer, the representative from Sikeston recently selected at the Junior Chamber of Commerce Beauty Pageant, has received a request for a picture to be sent to the Sedalia headquarters.

A part of the bulletin from Mr. Jordan read as follows:

The state finals for the selection of a state winner have merely been held at the State Fair. We, of course, reserve the right to stage the State event where we are assured of proper co-operation. We have the wholehearted support of the Fox-Liberty theatre management. The theatre is modern, has a large seating capacity, a spacious stage and is air-conditioned. The management is not only willing but anxious to cooperate with us and the visiting beauties in every particular. The very best in scenic and lighting effects will be installed. A massive stage set will be built. The required stage properties will be furnished. We, therefore, feel that it is decidedly wise to hold the State Pageant finals for 1937 at the Fox-Liberty theatre.

At present, our Missouri unit show booking indicate that the 1937 state finals will comprise more than 150 town representatives. All in all, I am positive the event will be the greatest yet staged. Miss Missouri will be elected amid colorful surroundings; all entrants will be royally entertained and properly chaperoned by prominent matrons of Sedalia, and as is customary, all expenses will be borne by the Regional office of the Miss America Beauty Pageant.

### JR. C. OF C. MEETS TUES.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce held its regular meeting Tuesday evening at dinner in the Palace Cafe.

President W. M. Sidwell was in the chair and heard a report from the census committee that the almost complete returns gave Sikeston a population of 6,824.

Upon resignation of Kemper Bruton as secretary, because of his transfer to the Farmington WPA offices president Sidwell, appointed Theron Stallings to fill that office.

The Junior Chamber was requested to take the Red Cross Roll Call but decided not to accept because of other activities.

It was decided to send an invitation to the State Board of Health to establish their laboratory in Sikeston and to offer the entire upper floor of the City Hall for equipment and offices.

Twenty-two members and one visitor were present at the meeting.

### July 4 Specials That Have Just Arrived

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"Gone With The Wind"—in various materials, patterns, and colors.

Sheer Chiffons — Printed patterns with taffeta slip.

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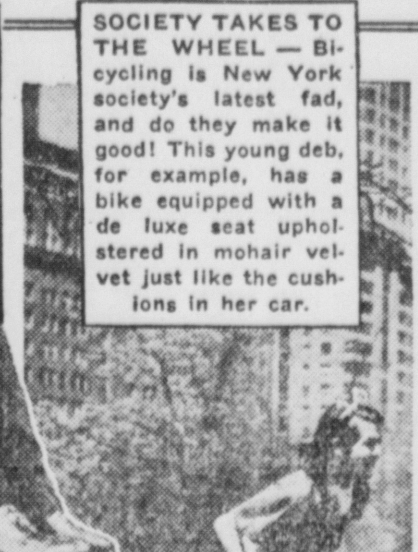
## In The WEEK'S NEWS



**WINGS SUBSTITUTE FOR LEGS**—Crippled while working as a coal miner, R. W. Hornung, Lavelle, Pa., took an engineering course with the International Correspondence Schools, established himself as an automobile mechanic, became a dealer, then learned to fly his own plane so he could get about the country.



**TRICKY SUN ENSEMBLE**—It is made up in linen, striped in red, blue and tan. The tie-on skirt worn over the brief sun suit can also be used as a cape, while the triangular bandana which Jean Walsh wears peasant-fashion, can be worn as a neckerchief.



**SOCIETY TAKES TO THE WHEEL**—Bicycling is New York society's latest fad, and do they make it good! This young deb, for example, has a bike equipped with a de luxe seat upholstered in mohair velvet just like the cushions in her car.



**LAST RIVET**—Signaling the last bit of construction work on the Golden Gate Bridge, San Francisco, the last rivet, made of gold, placed by Chief Engineer Joseph B. Strauss was driven by the crew that drove the first rivet on the job.



**RIDES 'EM**—Russell Ray, cowboy, stays put on board the wildest of wild steers at a Rodeo held recently on the West Coast.



**BUYS AMERICAN**—Mary Pickford lived up to her moniker as "America's Sweetheart" when she arrived from abroad on the Queen Mary. Questioned by reporters regarding Paris styles she said, "I bought nothing while abroad. I think Americans should buy at home."

### Personal News of Sikeston

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter, Phones 761w and 137

Word has been received here of the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hamby of Dallas, Texas, which occurred Friday, June 25. He has been named Charles McClellan.

Mrs. Florence Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Northington and children were in Cape Girardeau Saturday.

Mrs. Harvey S. Johnson, Mrs. Wm. DeKriek, Mrs. Ernest Harper and Mrs. Clyde Graham were in Cape Girardeau Tuesday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Galloway, on the 22 of June at their home in Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Davenport

are the parents of a baby girl born at their home on the 24th of June.

Mrs. Leroy Heisserer sustained an appendectomy last Friday, at St. John's Hospital in St. Louis. Her condition is satisfactory for an early recovery.

Rev. and Mrs. Lawrence Ray took their little son Howard to St. Louis Friday, where on Monday morning he sustained an operation at the Missouri Baptist Hospital. This is the second operation the child has undergone in the past six weeks. Rev. Ray returned home Monday and Mrs. Ray will remain with her

son until he is able to leave the hospital.

Mrs. H. E. Dudley is spending several days in St. Louis. Mr. Dudley and son Billy accompanied her and returned home that evening.

Mrs. C. M. Clay, Mrs. Fred L. Morris and Miss Willie Morris of Mexico, Mo., were guests of Mrs. Clay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.

A. Lawrence at the Hotel Del-Rey, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McDougal and Mr. and Mrs. Lee McDougal attended the ball game in St. Louis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Valle Sharp spent the week end near Frankford, Mo., with Mrs. Sharp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stoner.

Mrs. W. W. Kingsbury of Caruthersville was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John T. Sikes, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Malone went to Camp Lewallen Saturday, where Mr. Malone will have charge of the Boy Scout Camp for a month. David Keasler is assisting in the management of the camp. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Malone accompanied their son and daughter-in-law and spent Saturday night and Sunday at Hunter's Lodge on the St. Francis river.

Miss Olga Randolph, registrar at the Teachers College at Bowling Green, Ky., was a guest Friday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mount, while en route to her home in Point Pleasant.

Mr. P. A. McDougal and son Dick visited several days this week in Poplar Bluff with Mrs. O. J. McDougal.

Mrs. Oleta Hammond of Little Rock, Ark., is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. A. Lawrence at the Del-Rey Hotel.

Mrs. Melvin Pixley and daughters of Dexter were guests Wednesday of Mrs. P. A. McDougal.

J. N. Ross will spend the week end in Little Rock, Ark., as the guest of his brother, J. D. Ross. Mrs. Lacy Allard, Miss Florence Baker and their nephew Chuck Baker returned Tuesday after visiting in St. Louis for several days. They were accompanied home by Miss Evelyn Allard who attended a house party in Excelsior Springs the past week.

Mrs. J. L. Tanner and Mrs. Randol Wilson spent Wednesday with the former's sister, Mrs. J. C. Marshall, at her home near Chaffee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Anderson and daughter, Betty, left today (Friday) for Danville, Ill., to join their son and brother, Billy, who has been there visiting Mrs. Anderson's sister, Mrs. Arthur Ewert, and family for the past several days. Mr. Anderson will return home Tuesday, while Mrs. Anderson and children will remain for a month's visit.

Miss Judy Lewis of Cumberland City, Tenn., arrived Thursday for a week's visit with Miss Howard Ellen Davey.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Davey and daughter, Howard Ellen, and Miss Davey's guest, Miss Judy Lewis of Cumberland City, Tenn., will spend this week end in St. Louis. They will return home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Bowman and son Fred Jr., arrived Wednesday from Chicago to visit Mrs. Bowman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Simler. Fred Jr. will spend the summer with his grandparents.

Max Tinder returned Wednesday to Columbia, Mo., after ten

days visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Tindler.

Joseph Mitchell Blanton, of Webster Grove, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blanton, Sr. He is a mighty fine lad, full of conversation, having a pretty good time and not a bit homesick.

### W. M. LEDBETTER NAMED SECURITY BOARD OFFICER

Jefferson City, June 30.—William M. Ledbetter, former St. Louis newspaperman and at present a member of Gov. Stark's secretarial staff, has been named executive secretary of the newly appointed State Social Security Commission, it was announced here yesterday following the first commission meeting. The commission, which has supervision over old age pensions and direct relief, has not yet fixed Ledbetter's salary. Formerly connected with the old St. Louis Republic, Ledbetter handled publicity for Gov. Stark during the 1936 campaign.

It is understood his appointment was made at the personal request of William T. Kemper of Kansas City, chairman of the commission.

### LIBRARY PROJECT APPROVED BY PRESIDENT

Presidential approval of the Sikeston Library project was received Thursday by Director C. L. Blanton Jr. and on Thursday night a meeting of the Library Planning Board was held in the office of R. E. Bailey, Hal Lynch of St. Louis, architect for the building was present at the meeting.

Industries where dust is especially prevalent, such as potteries, textile factories, mines and quarries (except coal mines and limestone and cement works), are more conducive to the development of tuberculosis. Tuberculosis is prevalent among cigar makers, tobacco workers, printers, marble and granite cutters and

clerks. Bankers and brokers apparently suffer least. Farmers, clergymen, physicians and manufacturers are also fortunate in this respect.

One measure of American living standards is the amount of money spent for travel and recreation. Americans, for travel by air, land and water spend about six and one-half billion dollars yearly. Commercial amusements such as motion pictures, theatres, clubs, radios and radio broadcasting claims some two and a quarter billion dollars. Nearly a billion dollars is spent upon games, sports and outdoor life.

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Salad Dressing, Silver Medal, 26-oz. jar	29c
Potted Meat, Armour Star, 6 cans	25c
Olives, Haase's 3 1/2-oz. Stuffed	15c
Heinz, Sliced Cumumber Pickles, jar	23c
Asparagus, Fargo, Square Tin	25c
Tomato Juice, 50-oz. can	24c
Maxwell House Coffee, lb.	29c
Oxydol, Med. 23c; 3 small	25c
Palmolive Soap, 3 for	19c
Peanut Butter, Qt. Jar	25c

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## SCOTT COUNTY FARM BUREAU NEWS

## Thirty-five Bushel Wheat

Three hundred and fifty bushels from ten acres of Early Premium wheat was secured on the W. Sayers Tanner farm northwest of Sikeston.

Mr. Tanner sowed this wheat October 16th of clover land. The copper carbonate dust treatment given the seed effectively controlled the smut. The field was pastured heavily during the winter, which combined with the rank growth, delayed ripening a few days. It was cut June 7th and threshed June 22nd.

The early maturing quality of Missouri Early Premium wheat reduces chances of weather and rust damage. A week or ten days earliness has almost doubled the yield this year.

Mr. Tanner has sold a total of 237 bushels of certified seed to the following men: Evin Burke, Vanduser; G. C. Darby, Commerce; Harrison Tanner, Sikeston; Ned Tanner, Sikeston; W. H. Sikes, Sikeston; R. Q. Black, Oran; W. F. James, County Agent, Poplar Bluff; S. P. Miller, Naylor; Amos Riley, Libbourn.

## Barley Yields Well

Yields of from 30 to 42 bushels per acre for Missouri Early Barley have been reported to the County Agent's office at Benton.

This barley is rapidly replacing corn in some parts of the state. Three crops are ordinarily secured, early pasture in the fall and late winter, grain in early summer as well as straw which feeds well with oats straw.

Several sources of registered and certified seed will be available at an early date. Anyone wishing good barley seed may secure the names of growers at the county agent's office.

## Picture Show Pleases

"Under the 4-H Flag", a talking picture show, was presented at the Community Building in Benton last Wednesday afternoon and night to about 700 people. It was a story of a struggling farm family who made sacrifices in order for their son to become a member of a 4-H pig club.

A typical club meeting was shown as well as other club activities, such as State Fair and National show competition. These

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were linked together in such a way that it was very interesting throughout.

## Mixing Station Busy

Bernard Brew, foreman at the mixing station, is busy mixing and supplying farmers with grasshopper bait. Mr. Brew advises that 60,000 pounds have been mixed on June 26th.

The station at Benton is supplying poison bait for Scott, Mississippi, New Madrid and Pemiscot counties. Those wanting poison bait are advised to secure their orders at the County Agent's office. A charge of 25 cents per hundred pounds is made to offset expenses of mixing and handling.

Those wanting 1,000 pounds or more at a time should telephone their orders in order to avoid delay. Sacks are not furnished. Each person must furnish their own sacks.

## Korean Lespedeza Hay

Growers consider hay made from lespedeza equal in value to hay made from other legumes for feeding farm animals. It is readily eaten by all classes of livestock and there is little or no waste in feeding it.

Korean lespedeza can be cut at almost any stage of maturity from the time it is tall enough to cut until seed ripens. However, it should be cut for hay in this section not later than July 15th. The best time for cutting, advises County Agent Veatch, is just before the bottom leaves fall. This will insure a good growth, under normal conditions, for a seed crop.

Korean lespedeza should not be cut so low that there is no green growth. If this is done growth will not be renewed. A six inch cut will yield from 1 to 3 tons of hay per acre, depending on the fertility of the soil.

A light crop can be cut and hauled in the same day. The usual practice with a heavy crop is to cut it after the dew is off and rake it into windrows before the hay is completely dry in order to prevent the leaves from shattering. The hay is then allowed to cure in the windrows or small cocks for a day or so, depending on the yield and weather conditions.

## Too Often Neglected

Of all good melon growing practices that return good dividends to the grower, the practice of pruning off undesirable melons is one very often neglected. Pruning has two objects: Removal of all undesirable, misshapen melons from the vine. Improvement of those left on vine by plant food going into the good melons of more similar size that remain, which also improves their quality.

Where it is followed the field produces as many pounds of a higher grade melons more uniform in size that ripen close together. On pruned fields it is easier to grade melons by sorting into two or three piles of different size while picking. Since considerable interest is being shown this year, County Agent Veatch plans to hold field demonstrations in the melon area on proper methods of pruning.

Hoppers May Damage Orchards  
Orchards were seriously damaged in some sections of the state last year. The same could be true in southeast Missouri this year, warns County Agent Veatch, because the infestation seems to be spreading.

If orchards and alfalfa or other fields which are slipped regularly are mowed it is best to leave narrow strips of uncut growth stand for a few days and then distribute poison bait after the grasshoppers have congregated in these strips. After the bait has been distributed the strips may be cut for hay. In orchards it may be best to not clip the vegetation since this may tend to drive the grasshoppers into the trees. Leaving vegetation in the tree rows until after scattering the poison bait, however, should protect the trees in good shape.

The poisoned bait should be scattered through the infested area at the rate of about 18 to 20 pounds wet or prepared bait per acre. It should be scattered thinly over the ground, and should not be placed on plants since some injury might result to the plants. The bait should not be put in piles. The hoppers feed most heavily during the early morning on clear and warm days, when the temperature is above 65 and not over 100 degrees. Baiting should not be done on cool, cloudy, or wet days. It takes two or three days for the poisoned hoppers to die so that a check on the killing efficiency of the bait should not be made until about the third day. Additional applications may be needed, especially if a migration from adjoining fields is taking place.

So long as the Federal materials are available, the cost for each application will average about 6 cents per acre. Even where all the materials have to be purchased the cost will not be over 35 cents per acre, which is very cheap protection against grasshopper damage when it is figured that an acre of corn which makes 30 bushels is worth \$22.50 when corn sells at 5 cents per bushel. It is estimated that the damage done by grasshoppers to corn in Missouri last year ran close to \$8,000,000, figuring the corn at its value as fodder only.

## Dress For Summer Camp

The clothing problem does not need to be a serious one for the farm girl attending summer camp like the 4-H club camp, since this is not a place for any type of dress except a very simple kind.

Camp life always calls for very plain, simple, sturdy clothing, usually in a rather rough section of the country. The camp is generally organized for both play and work, with the members doing the necessary work such as caring for their clothing and beds, serving the meals, and in some cases washing dishes.

The activities of camp life will determine each girl's clothing needs. She will take part in some sports and clothing for the active sports must be comfortable and provide ample room for body movement. This does not mean that little clothing need be worn but does mean that garments must be amply cut and made of material which will not wrinkle badly.

It will be necessary to have a print dress for camp, since during the evening entertainments are generally given and excursions may be made. Any print school dress will be adequate. Tennis shoes will be useful for many camp sports. There is no place at camp for a shoe with a high heel, but an oxford with a low, brand heel will be more comfortable and safe. A hat is desirable to protect the skin and eyes from the sun.

It is an art to be able to pack clothing for camp or any other trip that it may be in a wearable condition upon arrival. Take no more clothing than is necessary. Pack all heavy articles, and those which will not be ruined by wrinkling on the bottom of the suitcase or bag. Fold garments with tissue paper to keep them from wrinkling at the folds. Clothes hangers will be convenient at a camp.

## "Off" Flavors In Bread

Poor yeast is a very frequent cause of an undesirable flavor in

yeast bread. It is difficult to keep starter several days, especially in warm weather, and not develop some undesirable flavors. If the bread board, bread box, and all the utensils used in making the bread are not thoroughly washed, scalded, and aired frequently, off flavors appear in the bread.

Poor quality ingredients as rancid fat or musty flour will cause a poor flavor in bread. A sour, fermented or yeasty taste is often due to holding the dough at too high a temperature or letting it stand too long before kneading or baking. A dairy thermometer placed in the sponge makes it easier to keep the sponge at the right temperature, 82 to 85 degrees Fahrenheit. The dough should be kneaded or baked when it has doubled in size.

Bread that is baked too slowly or baked insufficiently lacks the "nutty" wheat grain flavor which is most desirable. Bread that is wrapped while still warm usually takes on an off flavor and molds more readily. A standard recipe and accurate measurements should be used in making bread as in other cooking, as frequently a good flavor in bread is spoiled by too much or too little sugar or salt.

## NEW MADRID COUNTY FARM BUREAU NEWS

## To Start Soil Saving Plan

"Make the Government SCDA Program mean something other than a check from the Government" is the central idea of a County drive beginning at a District Meeting to be held at the Joe Crouther's farm July 9th.

Although any farmer knows that fertile soil is necessary to the success of farming, there are many New Madrid county farmers who are taking advantage of nature's graciousness and continuing to rob the soil of its fertility. They are responding to the law of "diminishing returns" by trying to increase the acreage of depleting crops rather than by replacing fertility through the use of legumes and good farming practices. The public is aware of the Nation's dependence on its soil; since the Government appropriates to "buy soil fertility," (to bear part of the expense of seedling soil conserving crops and performing other soil building practices).

The plan of the meeting at Mr. Crouther's is to begin with a detailed discussion of the practical application of the SCDA program to Mr. Crouther's farm and farming practices. Then will follow a tour of the farm with discussion of cultural practices and experimental results of field crops given by either Mr. J. R. Pauling, Extension Specialist in Field Crops, or Mr. W. R. Fischer, Extension Soil Conservationist.

It is expected that farmers of Big Prairie township and selected representatives from the other townships of the County will attend this meeting and anyone else who wishes to attend is invited. This District meeting will be followed by a series of other township meetings to be held in each township by local leaders in the township. The meeting will begin promptly at 9:30 a. m. and last until all questions are answered.

## Practical and Profitable Swine Feeding

A. W. Matson, living four miles northeast from Gideon on the Risco-to-Gideon road, has about sixty pigs on feed. These pigs have been raised by the "Missouri Plan of Growing Thrifty Pigs," which means that they were farrowed in a thoroughly clean farrowing house, permitted to run on pasture free from worm infestation and full-fed a balanced ration.

Mr. Matson is not feeding these pigs for a show; he feeds his pigs for the profit they will bring on the market. He has kept a weight and feeding chart on the pigs and knows how much one hundred pounds of gain cost him.

For the purpose of demonstrating the practical value of the

Missouri Plan of Growing Thrifty Pigs, Mr. Matson will cooperate with Assistant County Agent Lane in holding a meeting at his farm on July 7th. The meeting will begin promptly at 1:00 p. m. and last until 3:00 p. m. At this meeting, Mr. Matson will discuss the results he has secured and Lane will discuss some practical rationing for fattening hogs. Every farmer who is interested in hog production is invited.

## SUCCUMBS SUNDAY AT HOME NEAR VANDUSER

Ernest Caldwell Prindle died at his home near Vanduser Sunday, June 27, of cancer of the liver. He

was 59 years, 2 months and 27 days of age, having been born March 31, 1878 in Kentucky. From early childhood he had lived in and near this vicinity where he has a host of friends.

His illness dated from last November and grew steadily worse until his death.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed but the services will be held in the Guardian Angel Church at Oran by Father Helmbacher, probably Thursday morning. Interment will be in Friend Cemetery with Welsh Service.

Surviving Mr. Prindle are his widow, Mrs. Ida Prindle, 5 children, E. H. Prindle, St. Louis;

Ernest, Prindle, Sikeston; Walter Prindle, Miss Grace Prindle, Mrs. Albert Dome, all of Vanduser; 3 grandchildren, Vada Prindle, St. Louis; Barbara and Gary Prindle, Sikeston; 1 brother, W. H. Prindle, Houston, Tex.; 2 sisters, Mrs. L. D. Crowe, Cleveland, Ohio; Miss Ora Prindle, Los Angeles, Calif.

A darkey being the father of twelve children, all of whom had been rocked in the same cradle, was putting the latest arrival to sleep.

"Rastus," said his wife, "Dat cradle am about worn out."

"Tis about gone," agreed Ras-

tus, "You all bettah get 'nother, and get a good one, one dat'll last."

## Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Franklin Moore, Admr. D. B. N. of the estate of Laurel G. Stacy, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Administrator, D. B. N. at the next term of the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri, to be held on Benton in said county, on the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937.

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### Personal And Society Items From Matthews

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh May of Morley spent a short time here Saturday visiting friends.

Mrs. Britt McGee visited relatives in New Madrid Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Castleberry and children spent Sunday near Sikeston with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Don Lumsden returned Sunday from a month's visit with friends in the Northern part of the state.

Mrs. Roy Alsop, W. H. Dean Sr., Ralph and Billy Deane were Cape Girardeau visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. J. P. Rice and little son Joe Perry of St. Louis are here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Jackson Davis and Mrs. Donald Story shopped in Cape Girardeau Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Alsop visited friends in Poplar Bluff over the week end.

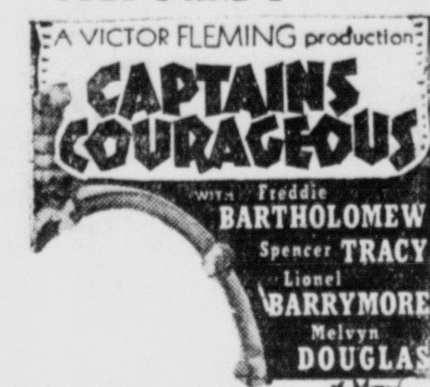
The Many friends of Mrs. Sala McClaud surprised her with a supper Thursday evening, the occasion being her birth Anniversary. Mrs. McClaud received many pretty and useful gifts.

### MALONE THEATRE

Sikeston, Missouri

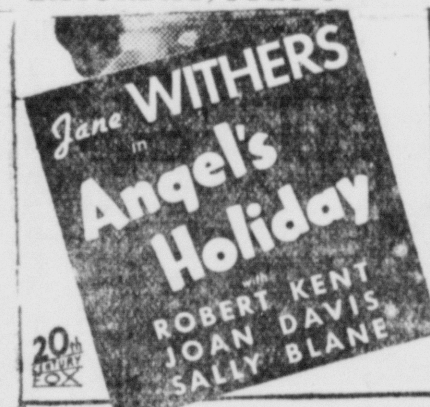
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SATURDAY, JULY 3—



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SUNDAY AND MONDAY,  
JULY 4 AND 5—



News and Comedy

TUESDAY, JULY 6—



Comedy and Short.

Mr. and Mrs. John Calvin of Sikeston were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Calvin Sr., Wednesday.

Miss Helen McGee is spending a few days in New Madrid this week with relatives.

Mrs. Fred Story, Donald Story, Jackson Davis and Ben Sells attended a luncheon given by the Democratic Women's Club in Charleston Thursday.

### Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

Mrs. Maude Patterson spent the week end with her son Joe Patterson and family in Dexter, Mo.

Mrs. A. C. Sullivan attended the miscellaneous shower of Mrs. Roy Masterson at Miner Friday.

Ira Smith and wife moved their business from Morehouse to the building erected for them in Calvins Grove near Lon Collins farm, Monday.

Woodrow Proctor and wife, Claude Proctor and wife and Miss Fay Proctor spent Sunday in Marmaduke, Ark., guests of Claude's brother A. D. Proctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Dillon of Swainsburg, Ga., are visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Nova Smith.

Bro. Alfred Lieske and wife were Sunday dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Pease.

Miss Elisabeth Hoehn, a member of our School faculty is spending her vacation in Denver, Colo., and other points in the west.

R. M. Bienert and family were guests of the formers mother in Chaffee Sunday.

Mrs. Anna Towry, Mrs. Frank Marshall and son Harold Dale Marshall were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Richards in Vanduser, Friday.

George Sullivan and family of St. Louis are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Bill Headlee and Miss Ellenora Summers, Fannie Blaylock, Fred Shuter and La Vern Cameron attended the show in Dexter Sunday evening.

Mrs. Kate Haak of Memphis and Mrs. Flossie Jones of Portageville, called on friends here Tuesday.

Miss Mary Mitchell who has employment in Festus, Mo., spent Friday and Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Ike Trovillion, as she was en route to Bloomfield, to visit her parents Rev. A. J. Mitchell and family.

Mrs. Camille Boaz of St. Louis is visiting her brother Herschel Gray and family.

Mrs. Mary Newton fell from a small stool on which she was sitting when it creaned and went over dislocating her left wrist and suffered a small fracture of a bone Sunday but at last report was getting along nicely.

Mrs. F. B. Ranch entertained the Sunshine Club Friday with a covered dish noon luncheon and a porch and lawn social in the afternoon. There were 28 present. The out of town guests were Mrs. Geo. Grant of Cape Girardeau, Mrs. I. H. Dunaway of Sikeston and Mrs. Wm. Thornton of Shawneetown, Ill. The day was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Weber of Bloomfield were guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Sikes last Friday.

### A WORLD CRUISE

By W. R. Lence

Number Eighteen  
Palestine.

(Continued)

At 8 a. m., Feb. 4, we begin the steep drive back to Nazareth. On the way we have another view of Horns of Hattin, from the top of which there is a panorama of the Sea of Galilee and the Plain of Gennesaret. Between the Horns of Hattin and Cana of Galilee we get a view of the summit of Mount Tabor, which towers above the mountain range closer by. The summit of Tabor is surrounded by a monastery. While in this land of monasteries of many religious faiths, Judge Jelke, one of the four in my car, who served for many years as justice of the Ohio State Court of Appeals, was moved to hand down a decision. Here it is: There was an old monk from Siberia, whose lot became wearier and wearier.

He broke from his cell With a hell of a yell, And eloped with the mother superior.

From Nazareth we begin a drive down a spiral highway to the Plain of Esdraelon. From the mountain range on the opposite side, nearly twenty miles away, there is a grand view of Nazareth, which nestles on the side and top of a mountain range.

From a vantage point on the highway, in the plain, the following things are in plain view: We stand in the Plain of Esdraelon, which has been the battle ground of Palestine as far back as history goes, and is to be the battle ground of the future. It is Ar mageddon. Here Barak prevailed over the Midianites. The ancient Assyrians, Babylonians and Egyptians fought here. It was in this plain that Alexander the Great conquered Palestine. Here the Turks and the Crusaders fought some of their great battles. About the close of the 18th century, Napoleon fought battles here. Last, but not least, Allenby defeated the Turks here.

Back of us is Mount Carmel, standing high in all its majesty. To our left, up on the mountain, is Nazareth. In front of us is Mount Tabor, and a little to the right is Little Hermon. At the north of Little Hermon is Nain where Jesus raised the son of the widow of Nain. Up on the side of Little Hermon is Endor, where Saul consulted the witch of Endor. This witch was no different from other witches, and when she got Samuel, the person whom she asked for, she was terrified and scared out of her wits. On the south side of Little Hermon is Shunem, where Elisha raised the son of the "great woman" of Shunem.

We drive around the base of Little Hermon and get a good view of Shunem. Here we see an ancient town set in striking contrast with modern civilization. Running between the modern highway and ancient Shunem are a railroad, a high line, and the old pipe-line which runs from Mesopotamia and Haifa.

Jezreel stands on an elevation on the east side of the Plain of Esdraelon. The vile Ahab, who lived in a house of ivory, had his capital on this elevation. Here he murdered Naboth and stole his vineyard. Ahab was a mighty king, but he was henpecked. His wife, the wicked Jezebel, ruled the nation. She slew the prophets of the Lord, and then brought 850 prophets of Baal and Astarte to Jezreel to be supported out of tax collections. Elijah prevailed over these prophets on Mount Carmel, and had the prophets of Baal slain. Notwithstanding this fiendish woman got Elijah's goat. She must have been a terror. But she had a tragic ending. She was thrown out an upper window here at Jezreel, and the dogs ate her up, in literal fulfillment of a prophecy of the Bible.

Beyond Jezreel, on the east side of the highway, is Mount Gilboa, where King Saul committed suicide, and his three sons were killed in battle. The noble Jonathan was one of the sons killed. Regarding their deaths, David wrote, "Saul and Jonathan were lovely and pleasant in their lives, and in their death they were not divided."

Jenin (En gannim) is on the line between Galilee and Samaria. It was here that Jesus healed the ten lepers, and only one of them came back to thank Him. Here we leave the Plain of Esdraelon and enter the canyon of the mountains.

Then we came to the Plain of Dothan. The village of Dothan, on the left of the highway, is said to be the place where Joseph was sold to the Ishmaelites. It is also said to be the place where Elisha and his servant were miraculously delivered from King Ben-hadad's army.

We cross a high range of mountains and have a fine view of the Mediterranean. In every other direction there is nothing to be seen on the sides of mountains because there is other place to put them. Whenever we are not climbing a

mountain we are going down one. It is no wonder that they called this country "Mount Ephraim." Moslem laborers are repairing the highway. They crush stone with hammers, and carry it in baskets. Many loafers are seen along the highway, and in the towns. Men sit out in the fields, like statues, without moving. Mrs. Michener says that they must be WPA workers.

The ruins of the ancient city of Samaria are located on a mountain with a flat top, on the east side of the highway. Only a donkey trail leads from the highway up to it, but we have a good view of the ruins. About 925 years before Christ, King Omri bought this site from a man named Shamar, and the city took its name from the seller. The first Herod named it Sebaste, and this is its name today. Both the highway and a railroad skirt along the base of the mountain, under the ancient city.

We enter another canyon and follow up a swiftly running creek toward Nablus (ancient Shechem). On both sides the steep mountains show signs of ancient terracing. At the other end of this deep valley, mountains Gerizim and Ebal stand like sentinels, facing the plain beyond. Gerizim, the Mount of Blessing, is on the south side; Ebal, the Mount of the Curse on the north side. The city of Shechem occupies the valley between them. Ancient Sychar is on the east side of Ebal, near its base. Joseph's tomb is between Sychar and the highway in the plain, and Jacob's Well is about a quarter of a mile further east. If I got my directions right, this deep valley opens to the east, rather than south.

Early in His public ministry, Jesus made a journey from Judea to Galilee. Concerning that journey, John says, "And he must need go through Samaria." The road must have been great, because the mountains are many and steep. That He met the woman of Samaria here at this well, on one questions. Queen Helena marked the place with a church more than 1600 years ago. If she had not marked it, there would be no well, and the site of it would have been lost. During all these centuries the wind has blown dust and sand off the mountains, thereby raising the surface of the ground 15 to 20 feet.

Russian people began the construction of a new church here, but the World War, and the Russian dictators came along and put a stop to it. The unfinished walls furnish mute evidence of what autocrats, called dictators, etc., do to religious enterprises. The

Russian builders set up some of the columns of the Queen Helena church.

A small chapel covers the curb of the well, and a canopy covers the stairway which leads down to it. We descend 18 steps to the elevation of the curb. The woman of Samaria said to Jesus, "Sir, thou hast nothing to draw with, and the well is deep." The kindly monk or priest in charge says that it is 120 feet deep, and that there is 80 feet of water in it. He let down a bucket and drew up clear, cool and sparkling water for the visitors to drink.

The woman also said to Jesus, "Our father worshipped in this mountain." Obviously, she looked or pointed to Mount Gerizim, which stands about 800 feet above the well. The Samaritans still worship in this mountain. To this woman of Samaria, Jesus first declared His Messiahship. To her statement, "I know that Messiah cometh, which is called Christ: when he is come, he will tell us all things." Jesus said: "I THAT SPEAK UNTO THEE AM HE."

Joseph, on his deathbed prophesied that God would some time visit the people of Israel, and bring them out of the land of Egypt, and asked them to carry his bones with them. The record says that they were faithful to the trust, and that they buried Joseph's bones in Shechem. I know of no reason why we should question this site of his tomb.

### WOMAN'S JR. C. OF C. VOTES IN NEW MEMBERS

The Woman's Junior Chamber of Commerce held it's regular dinner meeting Monday evening at the Palace Cafe with twenty-three members present and Miss Ruth Ward Powell, presiding. The elected secretary, Mrs. Leroy Heisserer resigned because of ill health and Miss Helen Matt-

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Four new members, Mrs. Kendall Sikes, Mrs. H. J. Hazel, Miss Vernetta Smith and Miss Ruth

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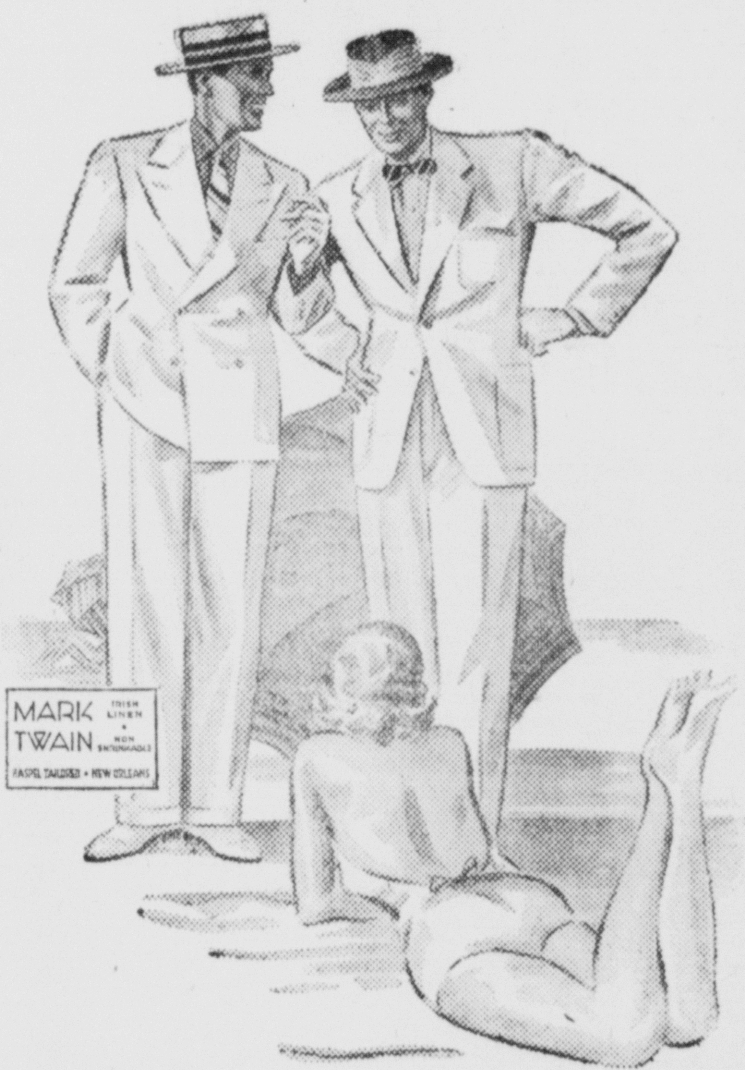
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WHEREAS, Sunday, July 4, is the one hundred sixty-first anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, that immortal document that gave birth to a new nation, of the people, for the people and by the people, and

WHEREAS, Providence has smiled upon this nation and it has had phenomenal growth in population, wealth and power, and

WHEREAS, the principles that are the foundation and superstructure of this development are prompted by annual observance of anniversaries of highlights of our history,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that as July 4 comes on Sunday, all places of business are requested to observe Monday, July 5 by closing their places of business.

Authorized.

**N. E. FUCHS, Mayor**

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## C. C. C. Drainage Work

The clearance and maintenance of public drainage improvements in nine states is being carried forward this summer by the men of the forty-six Civilian Conservation Corps Camps. It was announced today by Robert Fechner, Director of Emergency Conservation Work, which is planned and supervised by the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Engineering, was begun in 1935 for the purpose of assisting public drainage organizations is catching up on maintenance work neglected during the depression. The work is limited to areas of proved agricultural value and the cooperation of local drainage district officials is required. Camps are now located in Delaware, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Missouri and Ohio.

The drainage camp at New Madrid has been working for nearly two years in the drainage district of New Madrid and Stoddard Counties. During this time more than ten million square yards of clearing (equivalent to over 2,000 acres) and nearly two million cubic yards of excavation to over 2,000 acres) and nearly two million cubic yards of excavation has been accomplished in these two counties. In addition, a large amount of other work has been done in conjunction with these two principle types of work always necessary for ditch rehabilitation.

In a recent communication to Director Fechner, Lewis A. Jones, Chief of the Drainage Division, Bureau of Agricultural Engineering, stated that the CCC drainage camps have had the enthusiastic support of local communities at all times. In this connection, he stated that without the last two years, counties and local drainage associations have contributed \$1,400,000 toward the financing of the CCC drainage maintenance program.

"One of the essentials of satisfactory drainage is the proper maintenance of ditches and other improvements," Mr. Jones said. "Normally such work is carried on in organized drainage enterprises by county officials or by special drainage commissioners, who levy the necessary taxes to pay for the work."

"Unfortunately, during the agricultural depression, it was impossible for farmers to pay such assessments, with the result that in many regions, where funds for maintenance work have not been available, ditches became choked with vegetation, drift or debris, and carried but a fraction of the water they were designed to handle. The resulting poor drainage costs the farmer not only the loss of crops and seed but also the labor of preparing the land and planting the crop. In many regions entire communities are isolated by impassable roads for extended periods, as a result of inadequate drainage facilities, while in others health conditions are materially affected."

"One of the nation's great resources, is the 84,400,000 acres of flat agricultural lands in public drainage districts; and it is the object of the CCC drainage camps to make efficient farming possible on these lands by maintaining public drainage improvements."

"The proper control of the water table is essential for drained lands. If the water table is too high, farm operations will be delayed in the spring and crops will be reduced. If the water table is too low the crops will suffer. These public ditches provide a "low way" for excess water from farms much as the public roads provide for a highway for products from the farms."

"The program of the forty-six camps is limited to the maintenance of public drainage improvements already constructed. New work is not authorized and no swamps are being drained. Work is confined to projects benefiting lands which are unquestionably of high agricultural value when properly drained. Projects which would bring additional land into cultivation, keep lands of poor fertility or sub-marginal character in cultivation, or reclaim new farms, are not undertaken. No work is done on private drains."

"In addition to the normal work of rehabilitation of the drainage structures of the various districts, the members of the Drainage CCC Camps are called upon in emergencies to protect life, health and property of any citizens endangered in general catastrophe. During the months of January and February of this year, the New Madrid Camp participated in relieving danger and distress caused by the floods on the Little River and the Mississippi River. Last month a week spent by the camp in helping build the largest levee ever constructed on the Mississippi River when 80,000 acres were threatened by a crevasse at Wolf Island."

"There is no doubt but that the drainage work done by the CCC has been of great value to the farmers and communities where the camps have been located. The improvement of drainage through the clean-up of neglected ditches has saved crops and at the same time cut down the drainage tax burden for residents of drainage districts. I consider that the work done this far has been worth millions of dollars to the communities affected."

"The work of the drainage camps has been greatly facilitated through the cooperation of the County authorities and local people. They furnish draglines and tractors to enable the work to be

carried on efficiently. They furnish materials required for structures and dynamite used in clearing and excavation of ditches. The cooperation also includes personal services of attorneys, engineers, foremen, and skilled laborers."

"Directly through the work program and through the camp life, an effort is made to establish habits and provide knowledge and training that will better equip the men for good citizenship and gainful employment when they leave the camp. Many in the drainage camps have become adept in simple surveying, clerical work, construction work and in the operation and maintenance of mechanical equipment ranging from trucks and centrifugal pumps to tractors, graders, and draglines. Many of them, after serving as oilers and operators on dragline equipment, have obtained employment outside the CCC on such equipment at salaries ranging from \$100 to \$150 per month."

"It is hard for one not intimately in touch with the camps, to conceive of the improvement in character, morale, and attitude toward life that is taking place in these young men. Not only are they getting a great benefit—the record shows they are paying for it by benefiting the country."

### Sectional Meeting Of I. O. O. F. In Sikeston Tues.

A sectional meeting of various branches of the I. O. O. F., was held in Sikeston Tuesday, June 29, by two officers of the Grand Lodge, Al Siedman, Grand Master and Ben Weidle, Grand Secretary. Representatives of twelve lodges attended the afternoon meeting at which a round table discussion of lodge work was held and plans for the coming year were made.

Addresses by the Grand Master, John Williams of Charleston, Past Grand Patriot, and Mrs. C. C. White, Past President of the Rebekah State Assembly, were followed by the evening meeting after an invocation by Ben Weidle, Grand Sec. Later in the evening refreshments were served.

Representatives from these lodges attended the evening session: Soborbinat, Cape Girardeau, 5; Dexter, 1; Essex, 2; Sikeston 30; Fornfelt, 19; Morehouse, 8; Charleston, 7; East Prairie, 2; Hayti 6; Steele 9. Rebekahs: Sikeston, 12; Charleston, 6; East Prairie, 1; Fornfelt, 2. Seventeen men who were members of both the Soborbinat lodge and the Rebekah were present. One hundred and fifty non-members also attended the meeting.

### STARK SIGNS BILL FOR FIFTEEN ARMORIES

Governor Stark has signed the appropriation bill carrying \$100,000 for armories in different sections of the state. It is believed but \$5,000 can be used out of this fund as part cost of said building.

Sikeston has long sought an armory building and tentative plans have been prepared and presented to the WPA. The City Council has offered the park in the Chamber of Commerce Addition for the site and the \$5000 from the state will leave the city as sponsor some thing like \$6000 short to erect such a building as will meet the requirements of the National Guard and such conventions as might come to our city. Whatever is to be done about this building must be done at an early date.

### NEW MADRID COUNTY FOUR-H CLUB NEWS

The Peppy Health Bunch of Como met on Saturday, June 19th and all members and one visitor were present. Reva Berry demonstrated value of Pasteurization and Treatment of Cuts; Mary Jean Campbell, Use of Milk and Treatment of Serious Bleeding; Jewel Faye White discussed Wounds; Juanita Savat, Importance of Sterilization and Treatment of Severe Cuts and Punctured Wounds and Burns, and Madeline Newman discussed Slight Bleeding. At our next meeting we will discuss the use of the Medicine Chest.—Avo Berry, Reporter.

Risco's Spiling Stitches met last week with seven members present. We finished our pajamas at this meeting and next time we will start on our slippers.—Marjorie Parker, Reporter.

The Prissy Priscillas of Parma met last Thursday with nine members present. We cut out little girl's dresses and at our business session we discussed ways to make money. Next time we plan our other undergarments.—Dorothy K. Lindsey, Reporter.

The Merry Stitches of Como Community met with five members and three visitors present. We darned at this meeting and at our next meeting we will plan our dress.—Marie Warren, Reporter.

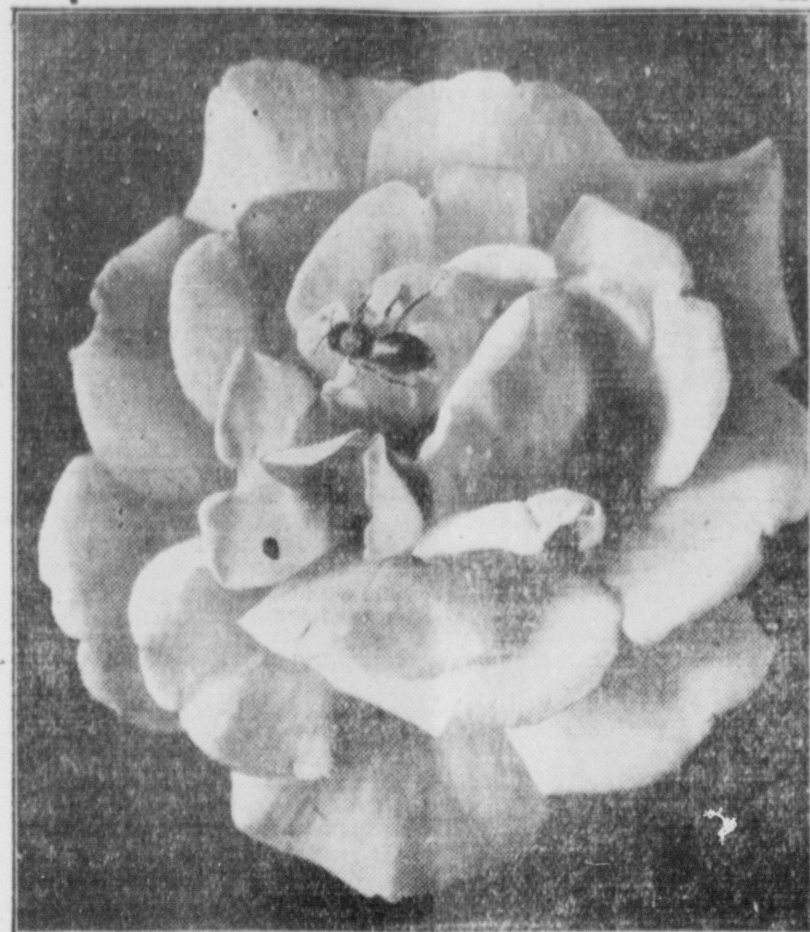
The Happy Stitches of Parma met last Friday with five members present. We planned our dress and will begin on it at next meeting.—Maxine Irvin, Reporter.

The Four Leaf Clover Club at Parma met Wednesday, June 23rd. There were five members and one visitor present and we studied patterns. At our next meeting, which will be at Mrs. McNabb's, we will make our dress.—Marilyn May, Reporter.

The Sikeston Standard \$2 per year

## The SNAPSHOT GUILD

SYMBOLS OF SUMMER



"The summer comes with flower and bee."

THE beauty of flowers is an attraction and a challenge to every camera owner. Frankly, good flower pictures are not easy to take and for that reason success brings more than ordinary satisfaction to the amateur photographer.

Proper lighting, a large image and patient work with the camera are the essentials of flower photography. The best camera to use is one with a long-extension bellows, enabling one to focus close to the flower, and having a ground glass focusing screen on which you can see the image before snapping the shutter.

But, if you haven't such a camera, good work may be done with ordinary folding or box cameras, provided a portrait attachment is used to obtain a large image. This supplementary lens, which comes with a table of focusing distances, makes it possible to work within arm's length of the subject. Always use a tape measure to determine exactly the specified distance between lens and flower. Panchromatic film gives the best rendering of the tone contrasts among the colors.

Flower pictures need to be vividly sharp; hence, a small lens opening should usually be used—f.16 or f.22—or the smallest stop on box cameras, and the camera should be on a tripod or held securely with a camera clamp. The exposure should be from 1/2 to one second.

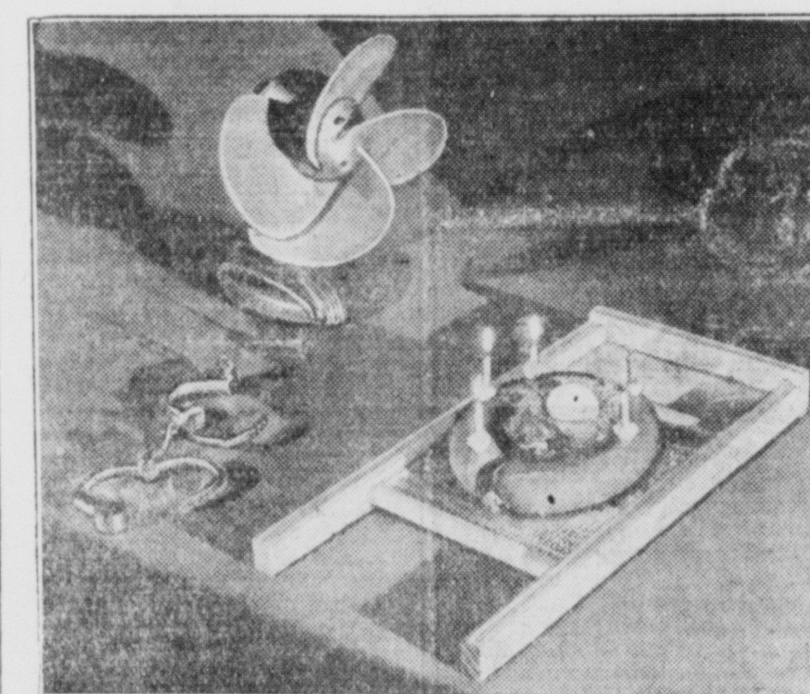
Wind is a problem, of course. At such close distances movement of the subject makes more difference. It is worth while to wait for a moment when the blossom is motionless. If you find the wind too blowy, devise a wind-breaker of some sort.

Hazy days, or when the sun is shining under light clouds, makes the ideal time for flower pictures. Direct bright sunshine is not desirable, but if you can't wait for better conditions, give your subject the protection of a cheesecloth screen. Better results are obtained in the early morning or late afternoon when the light is less harsh and comes from the side. This is especially true for cup-shaped flowers. Nearby foliage, or other blossoms not wanted, may be tied back with string or cut away. A piece of stiff gray cardboard placed behind the flower often is a better background than the natural one.

Sometimes, if you are patient enough to wait, a roving bee will enter the chalice of your flower. Click! Your patience is rewarded with a picture that is a perfect symbol of summertime.

John van Gulder.

### Surrealism Goes Photographic



### TWO WEEKS WITH PAY

"his table-top photograph was taken with the aid of two photographic lightbulbs, "spotted" on the subject at different angles; exposure 30 seconds at f.22. The candles were then lighted, main lights turned off and the lighted candles exposed for 2 seconds. The following text will (it is hoped) explain the title.

"SURREALISM. A French movement in literature and art influenced by Freudianism, purporting to express the subconscious activities of the mind by presenting images without order or sequence, as in a dream."

SO says the dictionary, but we beg leave to amend by inserting the words, "and which has invaded the field of photography." If you don't believe it, cast a psychoanalytical eye on the above photograph and consider whether it does not truly fit the amended definition.

"Images without order or sequence as in a dream." Who will contend that the images in the above picture do not fit that part of the definition? "Purporting to express the subconscious activities of the mind." Who dares to say that these images do not express subconscious activities quite as intelligently as any of those depicted in the surrealist concoctions of the painters?

Oh, yeah, but what activities and how? The fair photographer who took the picture entitled it "Two Weeks With Pay," meaning a vacation, and here, believe it or not, are the subconscious activities purported to be expressed:

The washboard is the psychic symbol of labor left behind. The open handcuffs express release from said labor. The Hyewurst ring represents thoughts of summer hotel menus. The bird's nest bespeaks an anticipation of communing with nature. Although the egg in the nest is really a golf ball, thus seeming to show a certain confusion of thought, it is explained that a bird's nest signifies a "birdie" with which a golf ball is always hopefully associated. The festive candles clearly represent the highlights of the vacation but the unconscious cerebration which evolved the electric fan, threatening to blow the lights out, was caused by the thought of probably keeping cooler by staying at home. Could there be any better example of the Freudian frustration complex?

To those who do not like "Two Weeks With Pay" as the title, the suggestion is made that they may try "Maternal Instinct" and figure it out for themselves.

John van Gulder.

## WARD'S STORES

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Horse and Mule Feed 100 Pounds \$1.75

LAYING MASH SUNGOLD—100 lb. Bag, \$2.49

### SHERWOOD SMITH NOT WORRIED OVER AUDIT

J. Sherwood Smith, former county clerk of Scott county makes statement as to the report filed last week by the State Auditors.

Mr. Smith states that due to the fact that he was not able to be present at the filing of said report as he is taking treatments for illness and is not familiar as to the full details shown in said report he is endeavoring to give the information as best he can.

First he states that he holds no ill will against any member of the auditors or any county official and anything stated herein is not made through any spirit of animosity.

Second: Any warrant issued out of one account to pay a bill that comes under another class in the budget, was not done through his knowledge or at his suggestion.

Third: The manner of the handling of school loans during the past four years was not a handling of his own, as that matter is ordered or authorized by the county court, and due to the condition of crops, income, etc., the court, I am sure was doing what they thought was to the best interest of said fund by giving the parties owning the loans a chance to pay when they could.

Fourth: The county court being overpaid in mileage, using their cars making trips necessary to the best interest of the county, this was authorized by former Auditor L. D. Thompson.

Fifth: County Clerk Smith having overpaid himself in the sum of \$7,529.91.

Will state that in my opinion the auditors used items of technicality in arriving at this figure, by using warrants to the major part of this sum that I did not request issued, did not sign and did not receive one penny from same. And other fees used in

this figure are fees that prior to the audit of 1921 to 1925, I had turned in to the county until said former audit when those auditors stated fees against the county clerks of the nine counties audited just prior to the first audit mentioned and further went before the County Court and requested the county court to allow same to me in the future. This the county court has done through their authorization.

As soon as I am able to go into the matter fully I will know just how they have arrived at their figure, and if it is found that I owe the county anything, I of course, will see that same is taken care of satisfactorily, as the fees used in connection with my salary you can see was authorized by the accountants of one auditor and interpreted just opposite by the latter auditors.—Chaffee Signal.

Philadelphia, Pa.—The entire nation will hear the Liberty Bell, which proclaimed American independence on July 4, 1776, ring again on the Fourth of July in a program of The American Legion which will be carried over the coast-to-coast network of the Columbia Broadcasting System. It will be the first time in history that the nation has heard the historic bell on the anniversary of the day it tolled the birth of the country.

The program will be broadcast from Independence Hall, originating in the same room in which the Declaration of Independence was signed and the Constitution of the United States was adopted. Much of the furnishings which occupied the room on both of those historic occasions are still there and will be used in a dramatization in connection with the broadcast.

The broadcast will be for 30 minutes, beginning promptly at 2 o'clock Eastern Daylight Saving

Time, which is 1 o'clock Eastern Standard Time, 12 Noon Central Standard Time, 11 a. m. Mountain Standard Time, and 10 a. m. Pacific Standard Time.

The program will open with a band selection, followed by a description of the scene by one of the Columbia Broadcasting System's ace commentators. Professional actors, all costumed in the clothes of the famous characters they will represent, will then put on a dramatization of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. As the climax to this stirring scene, Mayor S. Davies Wilson, of Philadelphia, will personally ring the Liberty Bell, specially arranged microphones carrying each resonant peal to every corner of the country. The mayor will then introduce Harry W. Colmery, national commander of The American Legion, who will deliver a brief address of national importance. The program will close with the National Anthem, played by the band.

German males, Italian females and Irish males and females show high death rates from tuberculosis, while Russian males and females and Italian males show low rates, according to the Missouri Tuberculosis Association.

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